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TO ACTING DIRECTOR 100-442292

ATTN: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM MIAMI 100-16340 2P

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS - RA.

RE MIAMI TEL TO BUREAU, AUGUST TWENTYONE, SEVENTYTWO.

REFERENCED MIAMI TEL SET OUT NAMES OF SEVEN VVAW MEMBERS ARRESTED FOR BREAKING WITHOUT ENTERING. ARRESTS INVOLVED VVAW DEMONSTRATION AT MIAMI BEACH HIGH SCHOOL NATIONAL GUARD ENCAMPMENT SITE. OF THOSE ARRESTED, IDENTITY OF [REDACTED] IS KNOWN TO THE BUREAU AND BOSTON. ALL SEVEN RELEASED AUGUST TWENTYTWO, SEVENTYTWO, ON FIFTY DOLLARS BOND.

ON AUGUST TWENTYTWO, SEVENTYTWO, [REDACTED] ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

ACCORDING TO [REDACTED] VVAW HEADQUARTERS ARE MOVING FROM NEW YORK TO CHICAGO

MOST OF VVAW CONTINGENT AT MIAMI BEACH WILL LEAVE AUGUST TWENTYFOUR, SEVENTYTWO, FOR GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA, WHERE THEY WILL DEMONSTRATE IN BEHALF OF INDICTED VVAW MEMBERS.

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SCOTT CAMIL STILL IN FLAMINGO PARK [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SO FAR, HE HAS NOT PROMOTED VIOLENCE OF ANY KIND. u

SECRET SERVICE AND OTHER AGENCIES ADVISED OF ABOVE NON-ARREST  
INFORMATION THROUGH CONVENTION INTELLIGENCE CENTER. u

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (100-443692)

ATTN: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

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FROM MIAMI (100-15340)

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAV), IS - RA.

THE FOLLOWING IS SUMMARY OF VVAV ACTIVITIES, MIAMI BEACH, FLA., AUGUST TWENTYONE, SEVENTYTWO:

DURING LATE AFTERNOON, APPROXIMATELY THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY PERSONS PARTICIPATED VVAV-SPONSORED MARCH FROM FLAMINGO PARK TO NEARBY MIAMI BEACH HIGH SCHOOL, SITE OF FLORIDA NATIONAL GUARD ENCAMPMENT. PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION FOLLOWED. AUG 20 1972  
HOWEVER, SIX INDIVIDUALS CLIMBED TO ROOF OF THE HIGH SCHOOL, WHERE THEY ATTEMPTED TO DAMAGE OR DESTROY NATIONAL GUARD RADIO AND COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT. THESE INDIVIDUALS WERE HELD BY NATIONAL GUARD SOLDIERS FOR THE MIAMI BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT (MBPD). SEVEN INDIVIDUALS, AS A RESULT, WERE ARRESTED BY MBPD, CHARGED WITH BREAKING WITHOUT ENTRY. THOSE CHARGED WERE [REDACTED]

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THREE OF THOSE ARRESTED ARE DADE COUNTY RESIDENTS; THEIR BAIL SET AT FIVE HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS. THE FOUR OUT-OF-TOWN ARRESTEES HAD BONDS SET AT ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS. MIAMI INDICES CONTAIN NO IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION REGARDING THOSE ARRESTED.

MIAMI BEACH HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITY BROKE UP APPROXIMATELY FIVE PM, FOLLOWING WHICH MANY VVAW PEOPLE, ALONG WITH OTHER NON-DELEGATE GROUPS, PARTICIPATED IN RALLY SPONSORED BY MIAMI WOMEN'S COALITION AT THE DEMONSTRATION AREA IN FRONT OF THE MIAMI BEACH CONVENTION HALL COMPLEX. RALLY CONSISTED OF STANDARD-TYPE SPEECHES BY FEMALE SPEAKERS. *W*

DURING PROGRESS OF THIS RALLY, A RALLY OF CUBAN EXILES WAS TAKING PLACE NEARBY. ESTIMATE OF CROWD AT THIS RALLY WAS FIFTEEN HUNDRED TO TWO THOUSAND. VVAW ASSUMED MARSHAL ROLE TO PREVENT CLASHES BETWEEN PARTICIPANTS OF ~~THESE~~ *TWO RALLIES.*

MIAMI WILL FOLLOW DISPOSITION OF VVAW ARRESTS, ABOVE, AND WILL FURNISH BACKGROUND DATA FROM ARREST AND DISPOSITION REPORTS TO OFFICES COVERING RESIDENCES OF THOSE INVOLVED.

SECRET SERVICE AND OTHER AGENCIES COGNIZANT OF ABOVE.

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DIRECTOR, FBI

7/18/73

SAC, WFO

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(WFOfile 65-11799) (RUC)

○ VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
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Re Chicago airtel to Bureau dated 5/21/73, dual  
captioned as above.

For information Chicago, to this date no information  
has been received by WFO that [REDACTED] has been  
in the Washington D.C. area.

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Based upon information contained in referenced  
communication, WFO is of the belief that if [REDACTED] came  
to Washington D.C. (WFO) he would probably contact  
members of the [REDACTED] organization known as, The Committee  
for Action Research on the Intelligent Community (CARIC).  
This organization periodically publishes a bulletin entitled,  
"Counterspy" which has been described as a source of  
analysis and information on the practices, organization and  
objectives of United States intelligence. In its March,  
1973 issue of Counterspy the following persons were  
described as those responsible for organizing CARIC:

[REDACTED] who was described as an agent for  
the United States Army Intelligence and Security in Vietnam;  
[REDACTED] a former Vietnam Veteran Against the War (VVAW)  
Coordinator [REDACTED] (VVAW) and [REDACTED] formerly

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Peoples Coalition for Peace and Justice (PCPJ). [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] is the true name of [REDACTED]

b7c CARIC has publicly stated in its publication, "Counterspy", that it wants to create a Central Intelligence Documentation Center, which would centralize information on United States operations.

WFO is currently conducting an investigation on the activities of CARIC and in the event any information is received that [REDACTED] has been in touch with CARIC, this information will be forwarded to Chicago.

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TO SAC, CHICAGO (100-50772)

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448002)

VETERAN VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION,  
IS - VVAW/WBO.

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RE: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
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SAC, Denver (100-10467)

Director, FBI (100-448092)

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
IS - VVAW/WSO  
(Denver Division)

ReBulet dated 10/4/73, captioned as above.

Referenced letter pointed out, among other things, the Marxist-Leninist orientation of VVAW/WSO leaders, their apparent willingness to cooperate with Soviet-bloc representatives and other foreign revolutionary groups and individuals, and their plans to infiltrate the FBI, Central Intelligence Agency and the military. The letter was intended to be informative as to the current situation within the VVAW/WSO but during its preparation the need for numerous offices to examine their coverage became apparent. In one instance, for example, an office with no member informants recently RUC'd its case to Chicago, commenting there was no information available concerning the VVAW/WSO. A review of files at FBIHQ, however, disclosed there were active chapters within the territory of this office which apparently had not been investigated.

As noted in referenced letter, the responsibility for effective investigation of the VVAW/WSO, including the development of member informants, lies with each individual field office. Accordingly, you should thoroughly review your files concerning captioned group to determine the adequacy of your coverage bearing in mind the import of the information in referenced communication. For your additional information in this regard, lists of VVAW/WSO regions and chapters and individuals connected therewith dated 9/8/73 and 4/5/73 disclose the following located within your division. Entries on the 4/5/73 list are identified with an asterisk.

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Training \_\_\_\_\_  
Legal Coun. \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Director Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_

Regional Office  
VVAW/WSO  
PO Box 18591  
Denver, Colorado 80218  
(303) 534-6285 or (303) 572-1543

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Re: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
100-448092

[REDACTED] \* Street  
Grand Junction, Colorado 81501  
(303) 243-[REDACTED]

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You should conduct appropriate preliminary inquiries to identify the individuals listed above and to determine the extent of their VVAW/WSO activity. You should also conduct sufficient inquiry to identify other VVAW/WSO members who participated in this activity at the locations noted. Be guided by Bureau letter dated 8/2/73 which gives guidance as to the scope of investigations to be conducted in VVAW/WSO matters. National, regional and local coordinators and individuals who attend the National Steering Committee meetings should be of sufficient interest to warrant complete investigation in view of their role in shaping the policies and international contacts of the VVAW/WSO. Depending on individual circumstances these investigations should resolve their veteran status, determine if they had intelligence or other specialized training while in the service, establish their reserve status if any and, if so, whether they have access to classified information. Reports should be submitted accompanied by appropriate ADEX recommendation.

With regard to informant coverage and development, a compilation of data available as of September, 1973, shows your office had no member informants and no informants in a position to furnish information concerning the VVAW/WSO through affiliation with other subversive groups. Considering the Marxist-Leninist revolutionary posture of VVAW/WSO leaders and increasing cooperation with revolutionary groups, it is felt this coverage should be improved upon. Any plans to develop informants in the VVAW/WSO must take into consideration the fact that following the indictment of the eight VVAW/WSO activists in Florida last year, a purge within the ranks of the VVAW/WSO took place and many individuals were expelled because they were thought to be informants. During the trial the defense spent a great deal of time questioning informants who testified as to how they were developed and handled. There should be no doubt the VVAW/WSO leadership is carefully analyzing this information to discover means to detect informants. You should be sure any informant

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directed against the VVAW/WSO has a cover story which will stand close scrutiny. It would also be desirable to review this situation with existing informants in order to make sure their cover stories are air tight.

Within 30 days from the receipt of this letter, you should advise the Bureau of the results of your review, the current status of the VVAW/WSO within your division, informant coverage including member informants specifically identified and steps you intend to take to develop member informants in order that you may be apprised on a timely basis pertinent activity.

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SAC, Milwaukee (100-15674)

10/17/73

Director, FBI (100-448092)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
IS - VVAW/WSO  
(Milwaukee Division)

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Regional Office

Milwaukee, Wisconsin  
(414) 562-

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WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
100-448092

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Green Bay, Wisconsin 54301  
(414) 435-[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Street  
Oshkosh, Wisconsin 54901  
(414) 233-[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
Pewaukee, Wisconsin 53072  
(414) 691-[REDACTED]

b7c [REDACTED] Street  
Stevens Point, Wisconsin 54461  
(915) 341-[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
Kewashum, Wisconsin 53040  
(414) 338-[REDACTED]

Waukesha VVAW/WSO  
1223 Lisbon Avenue  
Hartland, Wisconsin 53029

[REDACTED] Street  
Stevens Point, Wisconsin 54481  
(915) 341-[REDACTED]

VVAW/WSO  
1108 Cherry Street  
Green Bay, Wisconsin 54301  
(414) 432-0144

Letter to SAC, Milwaukee  
Re: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
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527PM IMMEDIATE 10-11-73 RWR

TD DIRECTOR (100-448092)

WFD (100-47162)

MILWAUKEE (100-15674)

FROM

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VVAW/WSD. IS - VVAW/WSO.

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT ADVISED

TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED

VVAW/WSO

, TODAY ADVISING THEM THAT

VVAW/WSD

VVAW/WSO

ACCORDING TO INFORMANT ADVISED THAT

HAD PREVIOUSLY

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ADVISED THEY WOULD

ONE OF THE

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[REDACTED] WILL TELEPHONICALLY CONTACT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] VVAW/WSO [REDACTED]

GENERAL FEELING AT VVAW/WSO NATIONAL OFFICE IS THAT

[REDACTED]  
VVAW/WSO [REDACTED]

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE [REDACTED] TELETYPE 10-10-73, NO CDPY TO [REDACTED]

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT IS [REDACTED]

BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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10/19/73

To: SAC, Portland (100-12313)

From: Director, FBI (100-448092)

Vietnam Veterans Against the War/  
Winter Soldier Organization (VVAW/WSO)  
IS - VVAW/WSO

1 - Mr. [redacted]  
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1 - Mr. [redacted]

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DATE 4/10/95 BY SP6 BJA/AR

ReBulet dated 10/15/73, captioned as above, which requested part the current status of the VVAW/WSO within your Division.

With regard to the above, FBIHQ notes that in a recent interview of [redacted] a direct participant in ARMBOM activities, [redacted] and [redacted] had participated in a discussion group at the Oregon State Correctional Institution during the early part of 1972 and at that time both stated they were representing the Radical Education Project (REP) the VVAW.

When submitting the desired information as requested in the mentioned Bureau letter dated 10/15/73, Portland should furnish its opinions as to whether [redacted] and [redacted], in fact, directly connected with the Portland VVAW. You should also furnish your opinions as to whether or not other ARMBOM subjects are in any way connected with the Portland VVAW.

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The word "ARMBOM" is assigned to investigation of two [redacted] in Portland, Oregon, 1/2/73 and 1/4/73, involving the [redacted] Recruiting Station and the U.S. Army Recruiting [redacted] respectively. During the course of the ARMBOM investigation, positive information has been developed that a number of [redacted] subjects have been directly involved in bombings, bank robberies and have advocated the violent overthrow of the U.S. Government. In view of this aspect, coupled with the fact that ARMBOM subject has now indicated that [redacted] and [redacted] represented the VVAW, it is imperative that it be determined if they are in fact connected in any way with the VVAW. Accordingly, Portland being instructed as indicated.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-448092)

WFO (100-47162)

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT ADVISED TODAY THAT VVAW/WSO

MEETING [REDACTED]

AND [REDACTED]

VVAW/WSO [REDACTED]

AS NECESSARY STEP PRIOR TO [REDACTED]

ADMINISTRATIVE:

FOR INFORMATION WFO [REDACTED]

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DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 10/3/73

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SUBJECT: PACIFIC COUNSELING SERVICE (PCS)  
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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 10/18/73

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FROM : SAC, CHARLOTTE (100-11256) (P)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
IS - VVAW/WSO  
(Charlotte Division)

ReBulet to Charlotte dated 10/16/73.

For the information of the Bureau, captioned case is in a pending status in the Charlotte Division and active investigation being conducted. In addition, Charlotte has pending files on the Jacksonville, N. C., Chapter of VVAW, Charlotte file 100-11729, and the Raleigh, N. C., Chapter, Charlotte file 100-11666.

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Charlotte also has pending investigation on [REDACTED] of Jacksonville, N. C., Charlotte file 100-11830. It is noted that in referenced Bureau letter that [REDACTED] shows his address as United We Stand Bookstore at Jacksonville, N. C. The United We Stand Bookstore is subject of Charlotte investigation in case entitled, "UNITED WE STAND BOOKSTORE; "RAGE" NEWSPAPER, JACKSONVILLE, N. C., IS - MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING (INTD)", Charlotte file 100-11521, Bufile 100-471440.

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(1 - 100-11521) (United We Stand Bookstore)

(1 - 100-11729) (VVAW - Jacksonville)

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In connection with [REDACTED] mentioned on page 2 of referenced Bureau letter, it is noted that this individual was subject of a previous investigation by the Charlotte Division in case entitled, [REDACTED], SM - VVAW", Charlotte file 100-11771. Charlotte submitted FD-128 to Bureau and Tampa on 8/27/73, designating Tampa as office of origin in view of information developed that he was [REDACTED] for the Tampa, Florida, Chapter of the VVAW, and resided at [REDACTED], Florida, and LHM under the [REDACTED] caption was submitted 9/6/73. On 9/10/73, information was received from [REDACTED] that [REDACTED] at that time was reportedly in the Gainesville, Florida, area. Copy of the informant report was furnished to the Jacksonville Office.

Communication is being prepared for Tampa and Jacksonville concerning [REDACTED] current whereabouts in order that his residence and employment in the Jacksonville Division may be appropriately verified and origin changed from Tampa to Jacksonville, if warranted.

During investigation of captioned case, [REDACTED] advised that in August, 1973, there was only one member of VVAW at Jacksonville, N. C. [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] for the State of North Carolina.

[REDACTED] has also advised that there has been some interest exhibited concerning VVAW chapters at Raleigh and Jacksonville, N. C., and that a re-organizational meeting is to be held sometime in October, 1973, in an effort to stimulate interest in VVAW.

As previously set forth, captioned matter is under active investigation and attempts being made to develop additional informant coverage, it being noted that [REDACTED] Bureau will be advised of results pursuant to instructions set forth in referenced letter.

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# Memorandum

TO

Mr. [REDACTED]

FROM

SUBJECT

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO)  
IS - VVAW/WSO

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]  
1 - Mr. [REDACTED]  
1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

DATE: 9/21/73

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

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Director Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_

## PURPOSE:

b7D This memorandum sets forth current information  
regarding [REDACTED]  
VVAW/WSO and additional information regarding [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] has created within the group.

## DETAILS:

Memorandum [REDACTED] to Mr. [REDACTED]  
regarding captioned matter dated 8/14/73 set forth informa-  
tion regarding factionalism within the VVAW/WSO and noted  
the power struggle is between Stalinist and Maoist-oriented  
groups.

We have been successful in [REDACTED]  
the VVAW/WSO. [REDACTED]

The source [REDACTED]

VVAW/WSO

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Re: Vietnam Veterans Against the War/  
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fashion. [REDACTED]

(VVAW/WSO membership) in a similar  
an extremely aware person politically

The VVAW/WSO  
marches and demonstrations

Our informant state [REDACTED]

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publication "Winter Soldier" will contain an article  
concerning [REDACTED] the VVAW/WSO

the "Winter Soldier" is an extremely useful tool  
to subtly educate the VVAW/WSO membership in Marxism-  
Leninism.

According to the informant [REDACTED]

he was not aware at that time whether [REDACTED] rved, however, that

extremely cautious when discussing violence, as they are  
aware the organization has been infiltrated.

Informant states [REDACTED]

has been previously described [REDACTED]  
and is currently being investigated as a

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Memorandum to Mr. [REDACTED] b7C  
Re: Vietnam Veterans Against the War/  
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possible suspect in the sabotage of an ammunition train  
near Benson, Arizona, in May, 1973. Source considers

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b7D [REDACTED] the most dangerous individual associated  
with the VVAW/WSO.

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] there, has long been an anti-communist and has  
expressed anger and alarm at the Marxist-Leninist leanings  
of [REDACTED]

VVAW/WSO is in danger of being co-opted by non-veterans  
and outside groups. [REDACTED] support of Regional  
Coordinators, [REDACTED], in [REDACTED] and [REDACTED], in  
[REDACTED] in this regard.

[REDACTED]  
regardless of the feelings of the membership, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] National  
Steering Committee meeting scheduled for [REDACTED], Ohio, in  
late December, 1973.

#### OBSERVATIONS:

The situation set forth above clearly demonstrates  
how an organization can be infiltrated and taken over by a  
small group of dedicated [REDACTED]  
We will continue to closely follow this situation and advise  
you of pertinent developments.

#### ACTION:

None. This is for your information.

FL [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO :

Mr. [REDACTED]

FROM :

[REDACTED]

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

DATE: 9/16/73

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO)  
IS - VVAW/WSO

## SYNOPSIS:

This memorandum sets forth information relative to factionalism in the VVAW/WSO and proposed future activity of the group as decided at the recent National Steering Committee (NSC) meeting. A VVAW/WSO leader in a southeastern region contemplates withdrawing his region and taking several others with him due to dissatisfaction with the National Office. He feels the VVAW/WSO should have strong leadership and a hard revolutionary stance should the need arise. VVAW/WSO functionaries in Los Angeles are aware of a power struggle in the organization and of a split into Stalinist and Maoist groups, the latter following a peoples revolutionary line. In the past, VVAW/WSO has presented a pacifist image to gain public support but many hard core revolutionary types are disenchanted with current leaders. The NSC meeting in St. Louis, Missouri, 8/23-27/73, produced no direct confrontation on these issues and it was determined that although ideological friction exists between Stalinist and Maoist factions, the dispute was not divisive enough to disrupt the organization's affairs. NSC meeting produced proposals to work for amnesty for deserters and draft evaders and discharge upgrading. Petitions on this subject will be presented to Congress. Plans also were made to infiltrate the military noting if a revolution comes, help within the military is necessary. VVAW/WSO is also planning to organize support in prisons throughout the country. Instructions were given on how to jam law enforcement radio frequencies, including the FBI. Delegates were chosen for representation at a meeting of the Soviet-dominated World Peace Council in 10/73 and three VVAW/WSO leaders privately expressed displeasure with the Soviets noting they want to use the group for propaganda purposes. They said the VVAW/WSO should utilize Soviet contacts when the opportunity presents itself. This and other information showing revolutionary posture of VVAW/WSO will be furnished the field.

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Re: Vietnam Veterans Against the War/  
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DETAILS:

Prior to the VVAW/WSO NSC meeting held in St. Louis, Missouri, 8/23-27/73, we developed information to the effect Scott Camil, Southeast regional coordinator then on trial in Gainesville, Florida, planned on withdrawing from the VVAW/WSO and setting up his own organization in opposition to the present Chicago-based group. Camil counted on at least six other regions and possibly an additional two backing his action. He originally intended to have a letter of withdrawal read on his behalf at the NSC meeting but later changed his mind due to his preoccupation with his trial. Camil feels the current national leadership is weak and does not follow a hard enough line in dealing with the Government. He feels better qualified to lead and, while he has never stated a revolution is necessary or inevitable, he, nevertheless, feels the VVAW/WSO should have strong leadership and a hard revolution stance to capitalize on any eventuality, even revolution, should the need arise.

At the same time two VVAW/WSO functionaries in Los Angeles, California, were aware of a power struggle within the VVAW/WSO and described the factions as the Stalinist capitalist group which follows a socialist, nonrevolutionary line and the Maoist group which believes in a peoples revolutionary line. The current national officers are considered by the Los Angeles leaders to be Stalinists while the small Maoist group is in the process of growing. They acknowledged the VVAW/WSO has presented a pacifist-type image in the past in order to gain public support but noted many VVAW/WSO members are hard core revolutionary types who are disenchanted with current leadership. They feel the VVAW/WSO is presently the only well organized group in the "Movement" and that it should continue to build and prepare for the eventuality of being forced to fight. Without commenting specifically, they alluded to a desire to stockpile weapons in California in the future should there be a need to fight for their freedoms.

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The NSC meeting at St. Louis produced a direct confrontation on the issues set forth above.

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b7D [REDACTED] There was friction between veterans and nonveterans within the group. [REDACTED] The dispute was not divisive enough at that time to disrupt VVAW/WSO affairs. We have since determined, however, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

With regard to the NSC proceedings, we determined over 70 individuals from 13 regions attended with security precautions taken by the host chapter. Workshops included amnesty, discharge upgrading, women, the intelligence community, prisons, the Gainesville action, GI organizing and electronic surveillance.

A proposal to work for amnesty for deserters and draft evaders and discharge upgrading was passed. A petition will be circulated by the VVAW/WSO concerning amnesty and after signatures are obtained, it will be presented to Congress. The VVAW/WSO adopts the stand that the war in Southeast Asia was undeclared and illegal and therefore any acts during the war by any drafted individual could not be legally prosecuted.

b7D The [REDACTED] workshop was concerned with organizing GIs on bases to infiltrate the military. It was explained that if a revolution comes, help within the military is needed. This workshop advocating using the question of amnesty and discharge upgrading to get to recruit military personnel and it was announced that the VVAW/WSO is looking for a man to work in Japan for one year organizing VVAW/WSO chapters at U. S. bases in that country.

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The workshop on [REDACTED] consisted of instructions on how to detect hugging devices and how to jam radio transmissions of various law enforcement agencies including the FBI.

b7D The [REDACTED] workshop announced that some time in February, 1974, there will be an open intelligence debriefing in Washington, D. C., which will feature a former FBI Agent, a former CIA Agent and a former policeman, none of whom were identified.

[REDACTED] workshop concluded there is a necessity to organize an information clearing house regarding [REDACTED] as well as a need to determine the best way to get things into and out of [REDACTED]. There should also be a move to organize support for the VVAW/WSO within individual [REDACTED] throughout the country. This is to be a project to be presented at the next NSC meeting.

The financial report for the months of April, May and June, 1973, indicated assets of \$11,000 and liabilities totalling \$15,000. In this regard, [REDACTED]

The NSC passed a proposal which states that in the future the national office will handle the complete defense, including lawyers and funds, for any VVAW/WSO member indicted.

With regard to foreign contacts, our coverage of the NSC meeting disclosed two leaders furnished a report on their recent trip to a youth festival held in East Berlin and two representatives were selected to attend a meeting of the Soviet-dominated World Peace Council in Moscow in October, 1973. [REDACTED] VVAW/WSO representatives [REDACTED]

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b7D [REDACTED] and did not have  
the best interests of the organization in mind. [REDACTED]  
however, that the VVAW/WSO should utilize [REDACTED]  
the opportunity arises in an attempt to further VVAW/WSO activities.

The next NSC meeting has been scheduled for 12/27-31/73  
at Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio.

OBSERVATIONS:

All offices with VVAW/WSO activity are not in a position  
to be aware of extent of the revolutionary position of the VVAW/WSO.  
To meet this need, a communication incorporating the above and  
other information demonstrating this stand is being prepared.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)  
 FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-77703) (P)  
 SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
 WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
 IS

Re Los Angeles airtel to the Bureau dated 9/28/73.

b2 b7D On 10/1/73, [REDACTED] advised that members of California/Nevada Region of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW)/Winter Soldier Organization (WSO) convened in the recital hall of El Camino College, 1600 Crenshaw Boulevard, El Camino, California, on 9/22/73 - 9/23/73, in

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order to hold meetings of the Regional Conference. Meetings were conducted for the full two days. Source advised several members from out of town stayed at the South Bay Chapter of VVAW/WSO, 2004 Curtis Street, Redondo Beach, California.

[REDACTED] LA  
 [REDACTED] LA  
 [REDACTED] A  
 [REDACTED] (phonetic) LA  
 [REDACTED] F  
 [REDACTED] and, California  
 [REDACTED] SF  
 East Bay - San Francisco area  
 [REDACTED] LNU)  
 San Francisco area SF  
 (Female, white, [REDACTED] hair,  
 [REDACTED] eyes, [REDACTED] tall, [REDACTED] pounds)

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The following individuals were identified through personal obs. of vehicle license plate registrations:

T [REDACTED] LA  
[REDACTED]  
1966 Volkswagen,  
[REDACTED] drive,  
apartment [REDACTED]  
Santa Barbara, California

SS [REDACTED] A  
License: YHK-943  
1964 Volkswagen,  
[REDACTED]  
Box [REDACTED]  
Senora, California

SS [REDACTED] F  
License: [REDACTED]  
1964 Volkswagen  
[REDACTED]  
San Francisco, California

[REDACTED] F  
[REDACTED] SL  
License: 941-AW  
1967 Volkswagen,  
[REDACTED]  
Berkeley, California

Unsub.  
SS Transverse Corporation,  
Budget Rent-A-Car San Francisco  
124 Beacon Street,  
San Francisco, California SP  
License: 740-HUW  
VIN: 1X27D3L218146

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[REDACTED]  
License: XYC-251  
1969 Volkswagen,  
[REDACTED] Avenue,  
Apartment [REDACTED]  
Redondo Beach, California;

Other address:  
[REDACTED] Avenue,  
Apartment [REDACTED]  
Redondo Beach, California

[REDACTED]  
License: 022-1111  
1965 Volkswagen,  
[REDACTED] Avenue,  
Apartment [REDACTED]  
Redondo Beach, California;

Other address:  
[REDACTED] Avenue,  
Apartment [REDACTED]  
Redondo Beach, California

[REDACTED]  
License: 111-EJM  
1971 Toyota,  
[REDACTED] Street,  
[REDACTED] California;  
Other address:  
[REDACTED] Avenue,  
Apartment [REDACTED]  
Redondo Beach, California

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Avenue,  
Apartment [REDACTED]  
Redondo Beach, California

[REDACTED] advised the last four subjects were  
residing [REDACTED] Avenue, Apartment [REDACTED]  
Redondo Beach, California, at the time of the Regional Conference.

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Source advised, however, a determination of whether that address is permanent or not has not been made to date.

SS [REDACTED] LA  
[REDACTED] Street,  
Los Angeles, California

SS [REDACTED]  
License: [REDACTED]  
1967 Volkswagon  
(Vehicle observed driven  
by [REDACTED] on  
numerous occasions in the  
past).

[REDACTED] LA  
Apartment [REDACTED]  
Fullerton, California

SS [REDACTED]  
License: [REDACTED]  
1967 Oldsmobile  
(Vehicle observed driven  
by [REDACTED] on numerous  
occasions in the past),  
[REDACTED] Boulevard,

[REDACTED] LA  
Apartment [REDACTED]  
Long Beach, California

SS [REDACTED]  
License: [REDACTED]  
1963 Volkswagon,  
[REDACTED] Street,  
Hawthorne, California LA

[REDACTED]  
License: [REDACTED]  
1966 Ford,  
[REDACTED] Street, LA  
Whittier, California

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License numbers were recorded and checked only when the vehicles to which they were attached were known to Agents conducting the physical surveillance, or when there was sufficient indication that (anti-war strikers, anti-NIXON strikers, etc.) the vehicle was driven by a VVAW member.

On 10/1/73, [REDACTED] advised that the Los Angeles area VVAW-WSO transferred their headquarters from 3503 West Pico Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, to 1810 East Anaheim Street, Long Beach, California. Source advised the transfer took place on 9/27/73 - 9/28/73.

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SACRAMENTO

AT SENORA, CALIFORNIA: Contact [REDACTED] source and determine whether or not [REDACTED] is a member of VVAW-WSO, and further confirm her attendance at the Regional Conference. Also attempt to determine if she was accompanied by anyone.

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AT BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA: With regard to [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] conduct investigation as set forth in lead for San Francisco.

AT OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA: (1) With regard to [REDACTED] conduct investigation as set forth in lead for San Francisco.

(2) Will attempt to identify [REDACTED] and upon doing so conduct same lead as set forth for San Francisco.

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA: (1) Will contact officials of the Traverse Corporation - Budget Rent-A-Car, 124 Beacon Street, San Francisco, and determine who rented the vehicle with license plate number 740-HUW. Will then determine if that individual is a member of the VVAW/WSO and further confirm his or her attendance at the Regional Conference. Also will attempt to determine if that person was accompanied by anyone.

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b7c (2) Contact logical sources and determine whether or not [REDACTED] is a member of VVAW/WSO and confirm his attendance at the Regional Conference.

(3) Will attempt to identify [REDACTED] (LNU) and upon doing so conduct same investigation as set forth above.

LOS ANGELES

AT SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA: Contact logical sources and determine whether or not [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] attended the Regional Conference and attempt to determine if they were accompanied by anyone.

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will contact logical sources in an effort to identify [REDACTED] and [REDACTED], and further determine the extent of their involvement in the VVAW/WSO.

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TO DIRECTOR

MILWAUKEE (100-21561)

FROM [REDACTED] (P) 2P

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AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION, MADISON, WISCONSIN,  
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RE MILWAUKEE TEL TO DIRECTOR DATED 10/19/73.

[REDACTED] ADVISED 10/22/73 [REDACTED]  
VIET NAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION

(VVAW/WSO), [REDACTED] 100-448092 3220  
FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU, [REDACTED] VVAW/WSO

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TO SAC [REDACTED]

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FROM DIRECTOR FBI

WISCONSIN AMNESTY PROJECT SPONSORED BY VIETNAM VETERANS  
AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO), MADISON,  
WISCONSIN, 10/26-28/73; IS - VVAW/WSO.

RE TEL DATED 10/23/73.

AUTHORITY GRANTED [REDACTED]

PROMPTLY DEBRIEF SOURCE [REDACTED] AND SUTEL RESULTS TO  
BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES.

[REDACTED] ADVISE [REDACTED] SOURCE CAN CONTACT

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Teletype to [REDACTED] and Milwaukee  
Re: Wisconsin Amnesty Project Sponsored by Vietnam  
Veterans Against the War/Winter Soldier Organization  
(VVAW/WSO), Madison, Wisconsin, 10/26-28/73

NOTE:

Source has been requested by [REDACTED]  
of VVAW/WSO to attend captioned conference.  
requested [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Source is extremely  
valuable and has furnished high-level information concern-  
ing various activities of the VVAW/WSO, and is being targeted  
for [REDACTED] VVAW/WSO. He is  
currently paid up to \$150 per month for services and up to  
\$60 per month for expenses. This is [REDACTED]  
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FROM [REDACTED] (P) 9P. - ALL OFFICES VIA WASHINGTON -

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
(VVAW/WSD); IS - RA.

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FOLLOWING IS INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM [REDACTED] AT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ON [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] 73, AND DEALS WITH INFORMATION  
AND IMPRESSIONS OBTAINED BY SOURCE AT VIETNAM VETERANS  
AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSD)

THIS INFORMATION IS BEING PROVIDED FOR INTELLIGENCE

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SOURCE SPENT CONSIDERABLE TIME

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DISASSOCIATE VVAW/WSO FROM THE STREET TACTICS


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FORMERLY EMPLOYED BY VVAW, NAMELY MARCHES AND DEMONSTRATIONS,  
AND TO DIRECT THE ORGANIZATION IN POLITICAL GROWTH ALONG  
THE MARXIST-LENINIST LINE. 

LABOR UNIONS AND PRISONS  EXTREMELY FERTILE AREAS  
OF EDUCABLE INDIVIDUALS, 

  
THROUGH MAILINGS OF THE "WINTER SOLDIER" (WS) AND OTHER  
MATERIALS, AS WELL AS THE DEVELOPMENT OF VISITATION RIGHTS  
FOR VVAW/WSO MEMBERS AT PRISONS. 

  
  
OF THE WS WILL CONTAIN AN ARTICLE  
REGARDING THIS 

  
  
  
  
  
   
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WHICH HAVE PLAGUED VVAW MEMBERS BEFORE. SOURCE ADVISED THAT ALL MEMBERS ARE EXTREMELY CAUTIOUS REGARDING DISCUSSING VIOLENCE, AS THEY ARE AWARE THE ORGANIZATION HAS BEEN INFILTRATED. X u

MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

X [REDACTED] WHO WAS IN ATTENDANCE WITH [REDACTED] ALTHOUGH THEY [REDACTED] CONVERSATION THIS PARTICULAR EVENING WAS LESS RESTRAINED, DUE TO THE HEAVY DRINKING OF THE PARTICIPANTS. SOURCE LEARNED THAT [REDACTED] HAVE BEEN RESIDING IN [REDACTED] AT AN UNSPECIFIED ADDRESS

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BUT THAT [REDACTED] DURING THE LATTER PART OF [REDACTED] FUTURE ACTIVITIES WERE NOT DISCUSSED, AND [REDACTED] WILL REMAIN IN [REDACTED] u

SOURCE DISCUSSED [REDACTED] AS BEING A DIFFERENT PERSON

[REDACTED] PREVIOUSLY [REDACTED] WAS HIGHLY EXCITABLE AND A PROLIFIC TALKER, AS OPPOSED TO THIS PARTICULAR NIGHT'S DEemeanor, WHEN HE APPEARED MUCH MORE CALM. [REDACTED] AS APPEARING TO HAVE A SENSE OF DIRECTION, BUT IT WAS DIFFICULT TO DETERMINE

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[REDACTED] PLANS OR ACTIVITIES, AS HIS COMMENTS WERE u

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LIMITED. SOURCE WAS NOT AWARE [REDACTED] WAS UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS OR ALCOHOL, BUT HE APPEARED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CONVERSATION WITHOUT ENGAGING EXTENSIVELY THEREIN. [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] PARTICIPATED IN A DEMONSTRATION IN SUPPORT OF STRIKING AUTO WORKERS THAT AFTERNOON IN CHICAGO. & y

IN CONNECTION WITH [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AVENUE, VENICE, b7D

CALIFORNIA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] CONTINUES TO BE A HIGHLY MILITANT INDIVIDUAL, AND IN SOURCE'S OPINION, IS THE MOST DANGEROUS INDIVIDUAL ASSOCIATED WITH VVAW/WSO. [REDACTED] y

[REDACTED] ACCORDING TO SOURCE. & y b7D

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JOHN KNIFFEN

[REDACTED] WAS IN CHICAGO TO SPEAK THAT DAY BEFORE A NATIONAL LAWYER'S GUILD LUNCHEON REGARDING THE TRIAL OF THE GAINSVILLE EIGHT. KNIFFEN ACKNOWLEDGED THERE WAS \$36,000 REMAINING IN THE GAINSVILLE DEFENSE COMMITTEE TREASURY, AND THE NATIONAL OFFICERS IMMEDIATELY BEGAN PLANS TO HAVE SUCH FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE TO THE NO. KNIFFEN WAS NOT RECEPTIVE, HOWEVER. KNIFFEN WAS SOMEWHAT INTERESTED IN GOING TO JAPAN AT A LATER DATE ON BEHALF OF VVAW/WSO, BUT NO DETAILS WERE DISCUSSED. KNIFFEN ALSO INDICATED SCOTT CAMIL WAS PLANNING TO "VACATION" IN DELAWARE, EXACT SITE UNSPECIFIED, FOR APPROXIMATELY ONE MONTH, BUT NO ADDITIONAL DETAILS REGARDING CAMIL WERE DISCUSSED. *u*

[REDACTED] WAS DRUNK DURING MOST OF SOURCE'S [REDACTED] AND DID NOT ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE IN ANY DISCUSSIONS. *u*  
[REDACTED] DID NOT ENGAGE IN THE DISCUSSIONS TO ANY GREAT EXTENT EITHER. SOURCE WAS WARY OF [REDACTED] HE DID NOT COMMENT OR ATTEMPT TO ASSIST [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] ATTENDED THE 9/8/73 DEMONSTRATION AND [REDACTED] THE EVENT. *u*

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SOURCE DID NOT KNOW WHAT CONCLUSIONS TO DRAW FROM  
ACTIVITIES. *4* *4*

IT WAS DETERMINED THAT

OFFICER HAD GIVEN HER PERMISSION TO ATTEND AND SHE WAS A  
FIRM DELEGATE ALONG WITH [REDACTED] ADDITIONALLY, [REDACTED]

AND

WOULD BE

NOTING THAT THE

BEEN RECEIVED

NO REPLY HAD

ALSO MUCH DISCUSSED [REDACTED] WAS THE COMMITTEE FOR ACTION/  
RESEARCH ON THE INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE (CARIC), POST OFFICE

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BOX 647, BEN FRANKLIN STATION, WASHINGTON, D. C. (WOC), WHICH ORGANIZATION IS CONDUCTING A CONFERENCE IN EARLY 1974 AT WDC AT WHICH FORMER FBI, CIA, AND MILITARY INTELLIGENCE AGENTS WILL ALLEGEDLY SPEAK REGARDING THEIR PAST ACTIVITIES.

INDICATED [REDACTED] b7C  
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[REDACTED] WHO INDICATED HE WAS IN SOLIDARITY WITH NO [REDACTED] SOURCE ALSO TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED CHAPTER IN [REDACTED] WHERE [REDACTED] INDICATED SOLIDARITY WITH NO. ADDITIONALLY, AN UNSPECIFIED INDIVIDUAL TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED AT THE [REDACTED] OFFICE, INDICATED NOTHING IN CONSEQUENCE IS HAPPENING AT THIS OFFICE. E u

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[REDACTED] b7D  
FURTHER ACTIVITIES WILL BE EXPEDITIOUSLY PROVIDED THE BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES. E u

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FOR ANY CORRECTIONS PLS CONTACT [REDACTED] OFFICE.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-448092)

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FROM [REDACTED]

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
(VVAW/WSO); IS - RA.

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DEBRIEFED AT [REDACTED]

ON [REDACTED]

AND [REDACTED]

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
(VVAW/WSO) INTERNAL DISPUTE, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] DURING MASS  
ORGANIZATIONS WORKSHOP AT VVAW NATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE  
MEETING AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, 8/23 - 27/73. DURING THIS  
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WORKSHOP, IN WHICH QUESTIONS AND OPINIONS WERE ENTERTAINED FROM THE FLOOR, THE NATIONAL OFFICE WAS CRITICIZED SEVERLY BY DELEGATES FROM THE CALIFORNIA-NEVADA (CN) AND OHIO-INDIANA-KENTUCKY (OINK) CHAPTERS. DISPUTE WAS CENTERED UPON RECENT EDITIONS OF THE "WINTER SOLDIER" (WS), WHICH CONTAINS ARTICLES AND EDITORIALS RELYING HEAVILY ON MARXIST-LENINIST TEACHINGS. BILL HAGER OF THE CN DELEGATION WAS JOINED BY OINK-DELEGATES IN EXPRESSING ANGER AND ALARM AT THE NATIONAL OFFICE'S MARXIST-LENINIST LEANINGS. HAGER, ACCORDING TO SOURCE, HAS LONG BEEN AN ANTI-COMMUNIST AND IS VIEWED BY THE NATIONAL OFFICERS, NOTABLY SAM SCHORR, BARRY ROMO, AND BRIAN ADAMS, AS AN OBSTRUCTIONIST, IN THAT HAGER STILL POSSESSES, IN NATIONAL'S VIEWPOINT, A MILITARY MENTALITY, WHICH IS NOT CONDUCIVE TO THE EDUCATIONAL AND POLITICAL GROWTH OF VVAW/WSO. NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS FEELS HAGER IS WELL SUITED TO SUCH STREET TACTICS, AS MARCHES AND DEMONSTRATIONS FORMERLY EMPLOYED BY VVAW, BUT THAT HAGER MAY NOT BE CAPABLE OF POLITICAL GROWTH FORSEEN AS NEW DIRECTION OF VVAW/WSO BY NATIONAL OFFICERS.

THIS IS PRIMARY REASON [REDACTED] b7D  
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[REDACTED]  
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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] NATIONAL THEN PLANS TO ACCELERATE  
ITS WORD OF MOUTH CENSURE CAMPAIGN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] VIEWS VVAW/WSO AS AN EXTENSION  
OF [REDACTED] CONTINUE  
TO COMMAND RESPECT AND GIVE ORDERS TO OTHER INDIVIDUALS.

IN CONNECTION WITH CONVINCING THE MEMBERSHIP THAT MARXIST-  
LENINISM IS THE DIRECTION FOR VVAW/WSO TO TAKE, SUBSEQUENT  
EDITIONS OF THE "WS" WILL CONTAIN ARTICLES AND COMMENTARY  
EXPANDING ON MARXIST-LENINISM.

ON THE OTHER HAND, [REDACTED] CONCERN THAT  
VVAW/WSO IS IN DANGER OF BEING CO-OPTED BY NON-VETS AND  
OUTSIDE GROUPS AND APPARENTLY IN THE [REDACTED] CHAPTER, AND  
SPECIFICALLY IN [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED], HAS FOUND  
SUPPORT FOR HIS POSITION.

ACCORDING TO SOURCE, [REDACTED] WAS CONCILIATORY  
AT THE MASS ORGANIZATIONS WORKSHOP REGARDING THIS DOCTRINAL  
DISPUTE, HE WAS STEADFAST IN HIS POSITION, AND [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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THAT REGARDLESS OF HOW THE MEMBERSHIP FEELS, MARXIST-LENINISM  
WILL BE VIGOROUSLY PURSUED BY THE NATIONAL OFFICE. NEITHER  
[REDACTED] SPEAKS OF VIOLENT REVOLUTION, HOWEVER,  
SIMPLY EDUCATION OF THE WORKING CLASS.

ACCORDING TO SOURCE, [REDACTED] SEEM AMBIVALENT  
REGARDING [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], HOWEVER [REDACTED] HAVE  
ALSO INDICATE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] IN THE LATTER CASE,  
THE NATIONAL OFFICE COULD PROCEED WITH ITS PLANS  
WITHOUT OPPOSITION.

A SHOWDOWN IS ANTICIPATED AT THE NEXT NATIONAL STEERING  
COMMITTEE MEETING IN ANTIOCH, OHIO, IN DECEMBER, 1973.

[REDACTED] WILL BE CLOSELY  
FOLLOWED AND REPORTED TO THE BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES.

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WISCONSIN, 10/26-28/73. IS-VVAW. OO MILWAUKEE.

RE MILWAUKEE TELETYPE TO BUREAU 10/19/73.

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[REDACTED] AVAILABLE TO ATTEND CAPTIONED CONFERENCE BUT  
DUE TO PERSONAL COMMITMENTS [REDACTED] OTHER  
INDIVIDUALS TO ATTEND CONFERENCE [REDACTED]

BOTH ARE

TO TRAVEL BY [REDACTED]

SOURCE'S CODE NAME IS [REDACTED]

BUREAU REQUESTED TO AUTHORIZE PAYMENT IN ADVANCE FOR  
EXPENSES [REDACTED] ABOVE AMOUNT AUTHORIZED BY BUREAU TO BE PAID  
SOURCE PER MONTH.

EXPENSES BROKEN DOWN AS FOLLOWS:

\$45 LODGING; \$20 FOOD; \$20 MISC.

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Mr. [REDACTED]

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MILWAUKEE (100-21561)

FROM DIRECTOR FBI

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10/25/73

Mr. [REDACTED]

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AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WBO), MADISON,  
WISCONSIN, 10/26-28/73; IS - VVAW/WBO.

RE TEL 10/25/73.

AUTHORITY GRANTED FOR [REDACTED] TRAVEL TO MADISON,  
WISCONSIN, TO ATTEND CAPTIONED CONFERENCE AND PAY SOURCE \$168  
FOR EXPENSES INCURRED IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH TRAVEL.

PROMPTLY DEBRIEF SOURCE UPON RETURN AND SUTEL RESULTS TO  
BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES.

MILWAUKEE ADVISE [REDACTED] OF MEANS SOURCE CAN CONTACT  
MILWAUKEE OFFICE SHOULD NEED ARISE AND CONSISTENT WITH SOURCE'S  
SECURITY.

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NOTE:

[REDACTED] advised that source is available to attend  
captioned conference but due to personal commitments, it is  
necessary [REDACTED] requested authority to  
pay source [REDACTED] consisting of [REDACTED] lodging -  
\$45; food - \$20; miscellaneous expenses - \$10. This amount does  
not appear to be excessive since probably source will be away  
from home [REDACTED] Source can justify expenses since  
his participation in this conference would  
[REDACTED] coverage and increase source's prestige in the  
[REDACTED] of VVAW/WBO of which [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] of whom may also be in  
attendance at captioned conference. He is currently paid up to  
\$375 per month for services and up to \$100 per month for expenses.  
This is [REDACTED]

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Literature mentioned in the enclosed LHM has not been forwarded to the Bureau at this time as it had to be retained, at least temporarily, for security reasons, by [REDACTED]

Attached LHM is classified ~~confidential~~ to protect [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

October 11, 1973

Director  
United States Secret Service  
Department of the Treasury  
Washington, D. C. 20220

RE:

MIDWEST AMNESTY CONFERENCE  
SPONSORED BY  
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION,  
CINCINNATI, OHIO  
SEPTEMBER 21-23, 1973

Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual or organization believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning protective responsibilities, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

1. ☐ Threats or actions against persons protected by Secret Service.
2. ☐ Attempts or threats to redress grievances.
3. ☐ Threatening or abusive statement about U. S. or foreign official.
4. ☐ Participation in civil disturbances, anti-U. S. demonstrations or hostile incidents against foreign diplomatic establishments.
5. ☐ Illegal bombing, bomb-making or other terrorist activity.
6. ☐ Defector from U. S. or indicates desire to defect.
7. ☒ Potentially dangerous because of background, emotional instability or activity in groups engaged in activities inimical to U. S.

Photograph ☐ has been furnished ☐ enclosed ☒ is not available.

Very truly yours,

*Clarence M. Kelley*  
Clarence M. Kelley  
Director

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Cincinnati, Ohio

October 11, 1973

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CINCINNATI, OHIO  
SEPTEMBER 21-23, 1973  
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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR

The Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) is a national organization whose membership opposes the war in Vietnam and the Selective Service System. The VVAW has sponsored demonstrations and protests against the war in Vietnam throughout the United States.

INTENTIONS TO HAVE CONFERENCE:

A source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, on September 18, 1973, furnished a copy of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War/Winter Soldier Organization (VVAW/WSO) Regional Newsletter #4, dated September 5, 1973, issued by the VVAW/WSO, Cincinnati, Ohio. One portion of this newsletter was captioned, "Midwest Amnesty Conference" and stated that an amnesty conference for the Midwest will be held in Cincinnati, September 21-23, 1973. The newsletter related that VVAW/WSO in Cincinnati "is hosting the conference, which is open to all those engaged in or

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planning a campaign for universal, unconditional amnesty. There are no prerequisites for attendance at the conference other than support of universal, unconditional amnesty, but it would help if those who have agenda suggestions forward them to the regional office along with notification that you plan to attend. We can arrange places to stay for those who let us know they're coming. Many people already have viable, functioning amnesty projects. It is hoped that we can share our experiences through workshops covering most of the main aspects of an amnesty campaign: discharge upgrade projects; outreach to involve those directly affected; public information through speaking gigs, media, rallies; fundraising; and the many other aspects of building an ongoing mass organization or united front for amnesty. So let us know if you're coming and if you have suggestions for the content and structure of the conference. For those of you not familiar with it, the VVAW/WSO position paper on amnesty explains the politics of the campaign. If you need a copy, write to the regional office or to the National Clearing House for Amnesty (827 W. Newport, Chicago, Ill 60657)."

LOCATION:

A second confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on September 24, 1973, that this conference was held at St. John's Unitarian Church, 320 Resor Avenue, Cincinnati.

CONFERENCE HOUSING:

MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

The second source advised on September 24, 1973, that housing arrangements were provided for by [redacted] at [redacted] Avenue, Cincinnati; phone [redacted]

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CONFERENCE COORDINATOR:

MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

The second source advised on September 24, 1973, that the Conference Coordinator was [REDACTED] Cincinnati, who is a member of the Cincinnati VVAW/MSO.

PROCEEDINGS: Ohio

On September 24, 1973, the second source advised that the initial session on Friday evening, September 21, 1973, was non-productive, informal, and devoted mainly to partying.

member of NOSCAM  
The first source advised on October 3, 1973, that the Saturday, September 22, 1973 session was chaired by [REDACTED] of Dayton, Ohio. Attendance was approximately 30 persons, with many persons going in and out at different intervals. [REDACTED] related that his group in Dayton, Ohio, an affiliate of VVAW/MSO, was known as NOSCAM. He stated that the main purpose of this group was to work for amnesty, to upgrade military discharges, and to make efforts to correct military abuses. NOSCAM has Post Office Box 1625 in Dayton, Ohio. Staiger related that NOSCAM works closely with the Department of Human Resources of the City of Dayton in a Veterans Outreach Program and claimed that NOSCAM receives some funds from this City of Dayton department. Staiger further claimed that NOSCAM has legitimate access to pertinent basic military personnel background forms for individual who NOSCAM is trying to assist.

The second source advised on September 24, 1973, that a workshop held in connection with [REDACTED] presentation set down mechanical guidelines involved in counseling military personnel on active duty, reservists, and National Guardsmen as well as persons enrolled in ROTC (Reserve Officers' Training Corps) programs. In that regard, it was stressed that a thorough knowledge of military regulations was necessary and this was broken down into four major categories: Department of Defense Directives; Service Level Regulations; Base Regulations, and Unit Regulations.

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The Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ) was discussed and Judicial and Non-Judicial Punishment is to be a good way of contacting and working with GI's. Article 15 of the UCMJ was said to be an excellent tool to reach military personnel.

The second source advised on September 24, 1973, that the War in Vietnam Workshop was conducted on Saturday afternoon, September 22, 1973. This consisted of a historical accounting of Southeast Asia, its customs and traditions, social and political evolution. Considerable discussion ensued on the subject of how to deal with AWOL's and deserters and the term "deserters" is to be avoided in the future. Such persons will be referred to as those "on extended leave" or those "on voluntary retirement from the military."

A discussion was held on the subject of abusive treatment by military superiors of their subordinates and Article 138 of the UCMJ was discussed. It was noted that under the demands of unconditional and universal amnesty, one objective is to eliminate the grades of discharges, leaving only a certificate of length of time in service in their place. In the mean time, discharge upgrading efforts should continue on a case by case basis.

The second source advised that the strategy of the group, in part, was to "flood the system with so much paper work as to create a backlog of at least five years on cases to be heard by the Discharge Review Board and the Board of Corrections of Military Records."

On September 24, 1973, the second source advised that at the meeting on Sunday, September 23, 1973, Bob Moore announced that the Chicago area military project no longer exists. There was no explanation as to what had brought about its demise.

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PARTIAL LIST OF PERSONS ATTENDING CONFERENCE:

On September 24, 1973 and October 3, 1973,  
respectively, the second and first sources provided the  
following identities of persons who had been among those in  
attendance at the conference:

Cincinnati, Ohio:

Bob Moore

*Cincinnati, Ohio*  
MEMBERS OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

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Dayton, Ohio:

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Chicago, Illinois:

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Louisville, Kentucky:

[REDACTED] who drives a small car with Kansas  
tag M S V172. *Ohio*

He works around Ft. Knox, but it is not certain  
whether he is actually employed at Ft. Knox.

ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTED AT CONFERENCE:

On September 24, 1973 and October 3, 1973,  
respectively, the second and first sources advised that  
persons at this conference represented the VVAW/WSO; The  
Peace Makers, Gano, Ohio, and the Chicago Area Military  
Project (CAMP).

FORTHCOMING AMNESTY CONFERENCE:

On September 24, 1973, the second source advised  
that it was announced that there was to be an amnesty con-  
ference as follows:

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Wisconsin Amnesty Project  
420 North Lake Street  
Madison, Wisconsin 53715  
Edgewood College  
phone 608-263-4843  
From 7:00 PM, Friday, October 26, 1973 to an  
optional time on Sunday, October 28, 1973.

— In connection with that conference it was stated that one reason that VVAW/WSO affiliates itself with the "interested groups" usually religious groups, was "church groups have money - VVAW/WSO doesn't." It was stated that the above Wisconsin Amnesty Project is made up mainly of the "interested groups" which were not represented at the Midwest Amnesty Conference in Cincinnati, Ohio, on September 21-23, 1973.

LITERATURE PASSED OUT AT CONFERENCE:

On October 3, 1973, the first source advised that the following literature was either sold or distributed at the conference:

A sample form for filing "Article 138" to the military, utilized in connection with military personnel feeling that they had been wronged by superiors.

"Turning The Regs Around" (\$1.00) which states therein that it was produced by the collective efforts of the Bay Area Regional GI Support Organizations.

The following free booklets were distributed, each of which indicates therein that it was published by CCCO - Western Region and describes the CCCO as "An Agency for Military and Draft Counseling was founded in 1948 as the Central Committee for Conscientious Objectors. A non-government, non-profit organization, it now specializes in providing draft and military counselors and lawyers with information, training, and consultation to help them serve

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all men and women faced with the draft or military problems. Contributions are tax deductible."

"Getting Out" (A Guide to Discharges)

"Who Needs You More?" (A Guide to Hardship and Dependency Discharges)

"This Suit Doesn't Fit, Sarge" (A Guide to Unsuitability and Unfitness Discharges)

"I Was Only Following Doctor's Orders" (A Guide to Discharge Because of Medical Problems)

"Who Let You In Here?" (A Guide Because of Erroneous Enlistment or Induction)

"If War is Hell..." (Thinking Through The Basis of Objection to War)

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Cincinnati, Ohio  
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Reference

Memorandum dated and captioned  
as above at Cincinnati, Ohio.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed  
in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-7254)(100-448092)

10/17/73

*DMG*  
SAC, MEMPHIS (100-5804) (100-3208) (P)

CHARACTERIZATIONS OF SUBVERSIVE  
ORGANIZATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS;  
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO)  
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ReBulet, 9/26/73.

Enclosed for the Bureau are the following:

Two copies of characterization regarding  
Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO;

Two copies of thumbnail sketch regarding  
Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO

An appropriate communication is being prepared  
for the Bureau regarding the Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO.

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Memphis, Tennessee  
October 17, 1973

MEMPHIS CHAPTER OF THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION

On September 22, 1970, Source One advised that the Vietnam Veterans Against the War/Winter Soldier Organization (VVAW/WSO) was organized in New York City in 1967. On April 25, 1971, Source Two advised that the VVAW/WSO was formed as an organization of Vietnam Veterans to protest the American involvement in the war in Southeast Asia.

On November 15, 1971, Source Three advised that the Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO was organized by members of the Memphis Chapter of the Young Workers Liberation League (YWLL) in May and June, 1971. The membership of the Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO included members of the YWLL from its inception and these members participated in and influenced the planning of this chapter.

The YWLL is a front organization of the Communist Party, USA (CPUSA). It was formed as a Marxist-Leninist youth group in February, 1970.

On September 13, 1971, Source Three furnished a leaflet distributed by the Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO in September, 1971. This leaflet contained the statement of purpose for the VVAW/WSO nationally as well as actions adopted by the Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO. These are as follows:

Nationally:

1. A total U. S. military withdrawal immediately from Southeast Asia.
2. The securing of GI and veterans' rights by fighting to end racism and repression both in the military and out of it, increasing employment for veterans, and improving Veterans Administration medical facilities.

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3. The active support of other progressive movements who share our goals and whose programs we endorse

Locally:

1. A campaign for mass endorsement of the People's Peace Treaty
2. Visitation with patients at our Veterans Administration hospital with the goal of establishing programs which will meet veterans' needs, such as a methadone treatment clinic
3. Demands to local government and business to take immediate steps toward creating decent job opportunities for veterans, particularly black veterans who have been hit hardest by unemployment

On October 10, 1973, Source Four advised that the Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO joined the Memphis Chapter of the YWLL in sponsoring and participating in demonstrations in the Memphis, Tennessee, area protesting American involvement in the war in Southeast Asia in 1972 and 1973. These two organizations jointly published an underground newspaper known as "These Times" in early 1973. The Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO was inactive during the period April - October, 1973.

SOURCES:

Source One - [REDACTED]  
Source Two - [REDACTED]  
Source Three - Former [REDACTED]  
Source Four - [REDACTED]

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Memphis, Tennessee  
October 17, 1973

MEMPHIS CHAPTER OF THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION

The Memphis Chapter of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War/Winter Soldier Organization (VVAW/WSO) was organized by members of the Memphis Chapter of the Young Workers Liberation League (YWLL) in May and June, 1971. The membership of the Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO included members of the YWLL from its inception and these members participated in and influenced the planning and activities of this chapter. The Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO and YWLL jointly sponsored and participated in demonstrations protesting American involvement in the war in Southeast Asia in 1972 and 1973. The Memphis Chapter of the VVAW/WSO was inactive during the period April-October, 1973.

The YWLL is a front organization of the Communist Party, USA (CPUSA). It was formed as a Marxist-Leninist youth group in February, 1970.

SOURCES:

[REDACTED] (9/13/71-11/15/71)  
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10:14PM NITEL 10-25-73 WCA

TO DIRECTOR (100-448092)

ATTENTION: INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

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TAMPA (100-2514)

FROM COLUMBIA (100-1180) FIVE PAGES

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER, ORGANIZATION  
(VVAW/WSO) IS - VVAW/WSO.

A KNOWLEDGEABLE SOURCE, IN POSITION TO FURNISH INFORMATION  
OF THIS TYPE, ADVISED THIS DATE AS FOLLOWS:

SUBSCRIBER TO TELEPHONE 803-554-1773 IS CHARLESTON G.I.  
OFFICE, 2008 1/2 REYNOLDS AVENUE, CHARLESTON HEIGHTS, S.C.

SERVICE ESTABLISHED 7-2-73 AND BILLING ADDRESS IS POST OFFICE  
BOX 4643, SAME CITY. (RENTED 5-4-72 BY [REDACTED]  
NAME OF CHARLESTON G.I. OFFICE).

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[REDACTED] RESIDENCE TELEPHONE 747-[REDACTED] IS RESPDN-  
SIBLE FOR THIS TELEPHONE SERVICE. ADDRESS OF [REDACTED] IS C/O  
[REDACTED] CHARLESTON, S.C. b7c

THE CHARLESTON G.I. OFFICE, 200B 1/2 REYNOLDS AVENUE,  
NORTH CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA, WAS OPENED IN THE SPRING  
OF 1972 AND ADVERTISES ITSELF AS A MILITARY COUNSELING SERVICE  
FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES. ACCORDING  
TO LITERATURE AND PERIODICALS DISTRIBUTED BY THEM, THEIR PURPOSE  
IS TO EDUCATE MILITARY PERSONNEL AS TO THEIR RIGHTS WITHIN  
THE MILITARY SERVICE AND TO ASSIST AND COUNSEL INDIVIDUALS DESIRING  
TO GET OUT OF MILITARY SERVICE.

A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION  
IN THE PAST, ADVISED 3-14-73, CHARLESTON G.I. OFFICE HAD BEEN IN  
CONTACT WITH REVOLUTIONARY UNION (RU), POST OFFICE BOX 3486,  
MERCHANDISE MART, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, BUT NATURE OF CONTACT WAS  
UNKNOWN.

THE RU WAS FOUNDED IN EARLY 1968 AND IS A MILITANT,  
SEMICLANDESTINE ORGANIZATION. ITS OBJECTIVES, AS SET OUT IN  
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■ ITS PUBLICATION, ARE THE DEVELOPMENT OF A UNITED FRONT AGAINST IMPERIALISM, THE FOSTERING OF REVOLUTIONARY WORKING CLASS UNITY AND LEADERSHIP IN STRUGGLE, AND THE FORMATION OF A COMMUNIST PARTY BASED ON MARXISM-LENINISM-MAO TSE-TUNG THOUGHT, LEADING TO THE OVERTHROW OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BY FORCE AND VIOLENCE. **b7c**

[REDACTED] ALSO KNOWN AS [REDACTED] WHITE MALE, BORN [REDACTED] AT [REDACTED], HAS BEEN CONNECTED WITH ANTI-WAR AND ANTI-DRAFT ACTIVITIES IN CHARLESTON, S.C. [REDACTED] IS ALSO ASSOCIATED WITH CHARLESTON G.I. OFFICE WHICH OFFERS DRAFT COUNSELING TO MILITARY PERSONNEL STATIONED IN CHARLESTON, AS WELL AS BEING THE HEADQUARTERS FOR ANTI-WAR AND ANTI-DRAFT ACTIVITIES. [REDACTED] HAS ALSO BEEN AFFILIATED WITH AMERICAN FRIENDS SERVICE COMMITTEE (AFSC) WHICH COMMITTEE IS PUBLICLY KNOWN AS A QUAKER RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATION FOUNDED IN 1917 WITH PACIFIST POLICIES.

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[REDACTED], WHITE MALE, BORN [REDACTED] AT [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], IS ALSO CONNECTED WITH CHARLESTON G.I. OFFICE AND HAS  
BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH [REDACTED] IN ANTI-WAR AND ANTI-DRAFT ACTIVITIES  
IN CHARLESTON. b7c

CHARLESTON G.I. OFFICE HAS NOT BEEN INVOLVED IN ANTI-WAR  
OR ANTI-DRAFT ACTIVITIES IN THAT AREA SINCE 10-72.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE TAMPA TEL TO BUREAU THIS DATE.

KNOWLEDGEABLE SOURCE FURNISHING INFORMATION IS [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND  
TELEGRAPH CO., COLUMBIA, S.C. b7c

CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE IS [REDACTED] b2, b7D

PERTINENT INFORMATION RE CHARLESTON G.I. OFFICE HAS BEEN  
FURNISHED BUREAU IN CASE ENTITLED "CHARLESTON G.I. OFFICE, AKA,  
CHARLESTON MILITARY DRAFT, INFORMATION CENTER, GI OFFICE, 2028 1/2  
REYNOLDS AVENUE, NORTH CHARLESTON, S.C., IS - INFORMATION CONCERNING  
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<sup>E</sup> PARTINENT INFORMATION REGARDING [REDACTED] HAS BEEN FURNISHED  
BUREAU CASE ENTITLED [REDACTED] AKA [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], SM-RA", BUFILE 100-475322, COLUMBIA FILE 100-1414.  
CURRENT INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED ON [REDACTED] (COLUMBIA  
FILE 100-1518).

PHOTOGRAPHS OF BOTH [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] AVAILABLE.

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5:57PM URGENT 10/25/73 PMM

TO DIRECTOR

CHICAGO

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FROM MILWAUKEE (100-21561) 3P

WISCONSIN AMNESTY PROJECT, SPONSORED BY VIETNAM VETERANS  
AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION, MADISON,  
WISCONSIN 10/26-28/73. IS - VVAW. OO: MILWAUKEE.

RE MILWAUKEE NITEL TO BUREAU 10/19/73; [REDACTED]  
TEL TO BUREAU 10/23/73; [REDACTED] TEL TO BUREAU AND BUREAU  
TEL TO MILWAUKEE AND [REDACTED] BOTH 10/25/73.  
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AMNESTY PROJECT (WAP) CONFERENCE, MADISON, WISCONSIN. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] CONFERENCE.

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TODAY'S ISSUE OF "DAILY CARDINAL", UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN  
MADISON, WISCONSIN (UW) STUDENT NEWSPAPER, CONTAINED ARTICLE  
RE A TWO DAY WAP CONFERENCE AT EGGWOOD COLLEGE, MADISON.  
MRS M. STRUVE, UW GRADUATE, IDENTIFIED AS CONFERENCE  
COORDINATOR. CONFERENCE DIRECTED BY A 12-MAN STEERING  
COMMITTEE FROM UW, UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, MILWAUKEE AND  
UNIVERSITY AT STEVENS POINT, WISCONSIN. OPENING SESSION  
OF CONFERENCE SET FOR FRIDAY 10/26/73, EVENING AT ADDRESS  
TO BE GIVEN BY MADISON, WISCONSIN MAYOR PAUL SOGLIN. WORKSHOPS  
SCHEDULED FOR ALL DAY AND EARLY EVENING SATURDAY 10/27/73.  
NO MENTION MADE OF ACTIVITY FOR SUNDAY, 10/28/73. ARTICLE  
STATES THOSE WISHING TO ATTEND SHOULD GO TO WAP OFFICE AT  
420 N. LAKE ST., MADISON OR TELEPHONE 263-4843. STRUVE HOPES  
FOR 200 PEOPLE, PREDICTING 75 FROM OUTSIDE STATE.  
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FREE KARLTON ARMSTRONG RALLY AT UW LIBRARY MALL  
SPONSORED BY KARLTON ARMSTRONG DEFENSE COMMITTEE SET FOR  
1 0' CLOCK PM, 10/27/73, WITH CO-SPONSORS VVAW/WSO.

FOR FURTHER INFO RECEIVING OFFICES, EDGEWOOD COLLEGE  
LOCATED APPROXIMATELY SIX BLOCKS FROM UW STADIUM, WHERE  
HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES SET FOR THIS WEEKEND, APPROXIMATELY  
75,000 PEOPLE EXPECTED.

SHOULD NEED ARISE, [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] SHOULD CONTACT  
SA [REDACTED] AT MADISON CONFIDENTIAL NUMBER [REDACTED]  
OR RESIDENCE [REDACTED] OR CALL COLLECT TO MILWAUKEE CONFIDENTIAL  
NUMBER [REDACTED]

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# MESSAGE RELAY

Date 10/25/73

Transmit in CODE via teletype the attached PRIORITY message.  
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FROM: Director, FBI

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RUEADWW/ ☐ The Vice President

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RUEADWW/ ☐ White House Situation Room

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RUEHOC/ ~~X~~ Secretary of State

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RUEADSS/ ☒ U. S. Secret Service (PID)

RUEBWJA/ ☒ Attorney General (☐ By messenger)

RUEBWJA/ ☒ Deputy Attorney General ( ☐ By messenger)

RUEBWJA/ ☒ Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division

~~S~~ and Internal Security Section

☐ and General Crimes Section

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Immigration & Naturalization Service

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ON OCTOBER 25, 1973, A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS  
FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

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THE VVAW/<sup>WSO</sup> TAMPA, FLORIDA, IN THE EARLY MORNING HOURS OF  
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THE VVAW<sup>/W50</sup> IS A NATIONAL ORGANIZATION COMPOSED PRIMARILY OF VETERANS OF THE WAR IN VIETNAM, THAT HAS ORGANIZED AND PARTICIPATED IN NUMEROUS DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE WAR IN VIETNAM DURING 1970-72, INCLUDING THE SEIZURE OF THE STATUE OF LIBERTY, NEW YORK CITY, AND THE OCCUPATION OF THE BETSY ROSS HOUSE, PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, IN DECEMBER, 1971. ~~SIX MEMBERS OF THE VVAW WERE INDICTED BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY, TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA, JULY, 1972, ON CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY TO VIOLATE THE FEDERAL ANTI-DRUG LAW.~~

THE TAMPA COORDINATOR WAS REQUESTED TO EXPEDITIOUSLY CONTACT ALL CHAPTER OFFICES WITHIN THE FLORIDA REGION. EACH CHAPTER OFFICE WAS IN TURN TO CONTACT VVAW<sup>/W50</sup> MEMBERS STATIONED ON MILITARY BASES WITHIN THE FLORIDA REGION TO OBTAIN ALL AVAILABLE INFORMATION ON MOVEMENTS OF TROOPS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES AT THE BASES WHICH WILL TEND TO SHOW THE ORDERS RECEIVED BY THOSE BASES. THIS INFORMATION SHOULD THEN BE FUNNELED BACK THROUGH THE REGIONAL OFFICE AND TO NOSCAM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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## FALL IN AT EASE

Special Issue

A JOINT EFFORT OF TOKYO BEHEIREN AND YOKOSUKA  
VIETNAM VETS AGAINST THE WAR/ WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION

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This pamphlet was produced jointly by Tokyo Beheiren and Yokosuka chapter Vietnam Vets Against the War/Winter Soldier Organization. Beheiren is a national Japanese Citizens organization opposed to US and Japanese militarism and Imperialism. We think it is real important for Japanese people and the GI movement in Japan to work together. We also think its real important to expose Homeporting and the Nixon Doctrine for what it is.

The first article is an analysis of the Nixon Doctrine and the strategy of the "Peacetime Navy". The second article describes the movement of Japanese people against US bases here, it also talks about the solidarity between Japanese people and GIs, sailors and Marines stationed in Japan and Okinawa. The third

article is a preview of life for homeported sailors and marines in Yokosuka. The last article is about the movement on board the USS Midway against homeporting.

The addresses printed below are GI movement organizing and counseling centers in Asia and on the west coast. All these places put out underground newspapers, and help people organize against the military on ships and bases. If you would like to read more about your rights and the US, we all have people's bookstores and libraries. There are civilian lawyers and counselors there too to help you out with legal hassles. So if you want to rap more about the military, and if you want to meet other brothers and sisters who feel like you do, drop by.

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# HOMEPORTING

A lot of you who are reading this are homeported overseas, stationed in WESTPAC, or on a long cruise. Even with talk about the "peacetime Navy," there are plans for homeporting more ships in Japan, Australia, and the far east. There is increased Navy activity all over the world. According to the Armed Forces Journal (March 1972), this year's Navy budget is the highest in history. It is higher than any other branch of the military. Why is the "peacetime Navy" more active than ever before?

Nixon and Kissinger talk about present foreign policy as a new one which is consistent with self-determination and world-wide democracy. They talk a lot about self-help, regional responsibility and an end to the US role as world policeman. But what to these words really mean and what are the people in power really planning?

## WORLD BALANCE OF POWER

In the past, the US and USSR were by far the most powerful countries. US foreign policy was based on the east/west split and the "cold war." But today China, Japan, and Western Europe are becoming more powerful. The US is still the most powerful single force. But to maintain control over the US empire, anti-US alliances must be prevented between the other powers. And to keep control over the rest, Third World liberation struggles like in PI and Vietnam must be defeated.

In coming decades, the country which controls oil, mineral, and other resources will control the key industrial areas of the world and hold a club over underdeveloped countries. For example, Japan imports 98% of her oil, so as long as the US controls the sea lanes and the sources of oil, Japan is forced to be a Junior Partner to the US.

## US INTERESTS ABROAD: PROFITS AND CONTROL

Secretary of the Navy John Warner made a speech about the Nixon Doctrine and the Navy to the National Security & Industrial Association. (printed in Aviation Week 11/27/72). He outlined three main areas of interests tha US (and Japan) has abroad.

OIL: "By 1985 we will have to import  $\frac{1}{2}$  of our petroleum needs. to assure this flow--and you can imagine the implications of an interruption--will require a Navy capable of seeing that oil producing countries are not subjected to such pressures that the flow subsides." The flow subsiding is not the real issue though. In the past ten years six oil producing countries have nationalized their oil fields (Egypt, Syria, S. Yemen, Somalia, Algeria, and Iraq). This means they bought from US owners at least 51% of operations in their own countries. The Organization of Oil Exporting Countries (OPEC) was formed in 1971 to give them more leverage in bargaining with the industrial giants. These two actions have lowered the profit per barrel for US companies there by 50%. The amount of oil coming to the US hasn't declined, but the powerful oil companies make less money now on Middle East oil. So it seems the US

military is protecting the US monopoly control over oil rather than the American people's ability to drive their cars or heat their homes.

#### THE OIL COMPANIES & S.E. ASIA



Major oil companies have staked out the waters of S.E. Asia for exploitation. Vietnam's location is strategic.

**RAW MATERIALS:** "Oil is not our only import. You are aware that 69 of 72 vital raw materials, without which our business could not function, are wholly or in part imported into the US." But just like with oil, the real issue is not trade, but ownership of raw material sources.

**MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS:** "Increasingly multinational corporations rely on close coordination of plants scattered throughout the world. Components from half a world away are brought into this country or taken to another." What Warner doesn't say is that these corporations

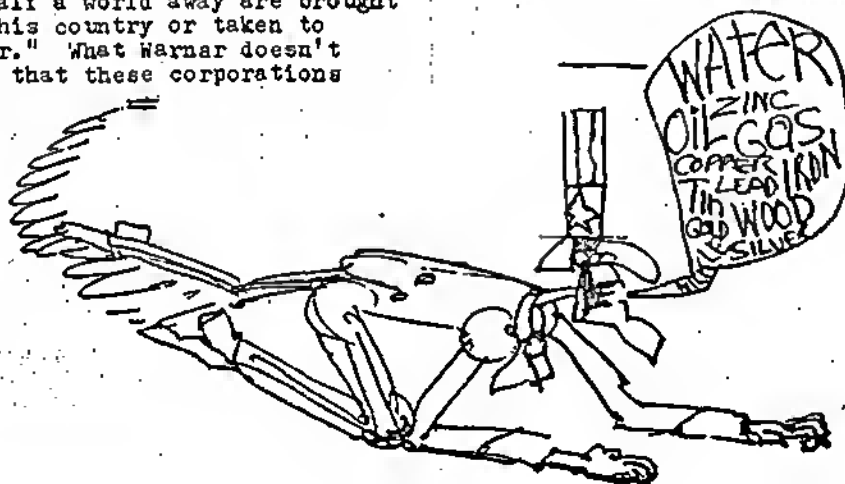
are costing American working people their jobs. Multinational corporations have moved all over the world to find cheap labor, exploit the rich resources of underdeveloped countries, and to find new markets and tax loopholes. The typical attitude of a US manager in South Africa is: "I'm here to make a profit. If the Bantus don't like it they can work elsewhere." (Fortune magazine, 7/72) The attitudes of Dole managers in Philippines, Zenith in Taiwan, Chrysler in Japan and Japanese managers in Indonesia and South Korea are pretty similar.

People in the US and all over the world oppose the Nixon Doctrine. People in underdeveloped countries want to raise their standard of living and rid themselves of American puppet dictators like Thieu in Vietnam and Park in South Korea. When their struggle looks like it might be successful, their country is called a "trouble spot" and the US military makes threatening moves. The people in power in the US have never proved that neutral or socialist countries would not trade with the US. In fact we trade with most of them now. What the Navy is protecting is profits and power, and what people are fighting for is a decent way of life.

#### HOW WILL THE NIXON DOCTRINE ACHIEVE ITS GOALS?

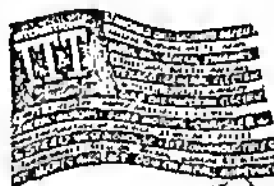
There are three major points in the new US strategy:

1. Withdrawal of ground troops. Nixon will withdraw most ground



troops from overseas while increasing the efficiency of those that remain. New shows of force will take the form of air and sea power, with ground troops used in unusual situations.

2. Depend on allies for regional self-defense. Key countries in each region will police their own area using their US subsidized and supplied military forces. They will be backed up by US sea and air power. Examples of regional policemen are Israel (which is getting out of hand), and Japan. Japan is a key ally. She has the third largest navy in Asian waters (after the US and USSR) and an air force. With her own interests to protect in South Korea and elsewhere, with US bases all over Japan, and with the US controlling her sea lanes, she will remain a reliable, but competitive, ally. It's no accident that the first aircraft carrier to be homeported in WESTPAC is in Japan.



WE PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE  
TO THE FLAG AND TO THE  
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3. Use of sophisticated mobile forces: The Navy will probably be the most important branch of the military in the next 25 years. It will continue controlling sea lanes. Also, carriers will be sent to potential "trouble spots" as a show of US force. As Norm Polmar puts it - "5000 people floating into a harbor tells you the US is interested as hell in the area. It says 'power and interest.' We have the power to help you or kill you, you bastard." (Far Eastern Economic Review, 4/9/1973)



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"In South Korea, Taiwan, and Indonesia we see an attractive supply of cheap labor." -Henry Ford II (Business Week, Dec. 13, 1969, p. 13)

## HOMEPORTING

According to Navy spokespeople, in peacetime the 7th Fleet can normally deploy only one of every three carriers in the Fleet. The other two are either in US homeports or in transit. For its new post-Vietnam role, however, it needs to maximize its on call carrier forces. By giving ships foreign homeports, it can greatly increase the patrol time per ship of the fleet. They also say it helps sailor morale, which shows they haven't spent much time in Yokosuka. The same logic holds true for other kinds of ships with foreign homeports.

"Probably our basic problem," says Capt. De La Mater, special assistant to Admiral Zumwalt, "is with the State Dept. and Congress who see it as further expansion overseas." Rear Admiral (ret.) Gene LaRocque, who now heads Washington's Center for Defense Information, makes the point even more strongly. "I see the Navy moving into the Indian Pacific Ocean area under any excuse possible. And homeporting is one way to do it. We'll slide into Singapore and elsewhere by homeporting." (FEER 4/9/73)

Like carrier deployments, homeporting is a powerful political tool. It is expansion under

the name of readiness. Its a commitment which can go almost unnoticed by the American people and Congress. Its not going unnoticed by the Japanese people though. They have formed a strong group to fight against the US military plans for Yokosuka.

There are limits to homeporting though. It represents an enormous outflow of dollars. So the Navy is trying to homeport on the cheap. No bases should be built, and port facilities should already be in existence. Yokosuka drydock six is ideal - the facilities already exist, there are lots of skilled workers. They hope the area is large enough to absorb 5000 sailors and 1200 families. If you look at Tokyo on a map, this seems true, but adding 5000 people to the Honcho may not be as smooth as they hope.

It is important to expose Nixon's talk of self-help and self-defense for what it is: self-determination for American businessmen and foreign elites who need protection from their own people. The Nixon doctrine is designed to keep US business and power on top of the other world powers and the developing nations. The Nixon doctrine is also a foreign policy that is being resisted all over the world: by Americans, including sailors and their families homeported in foreign countries; by Japanese people like those in the anti-homeporting movement; and by people like those in the Philippines and Vietnam who want to develop their countries for the good of their people. The Nixon administration is trying to pull a fast one, but time is running out.

#### WHY WE NEED CVN-70 --Zumwalt

Because the arguments advanced by Navy chief-tain Admiral E.R. Zumwalt for procurement of the CVN-70 provide a particularly revealing summary of U.S. naval strategy today, it is worth quoting from his Fiscal 1973 budget presentation at length:

"The aircraft carrier has at least three very critical missions. First, it is an important part of our national tactical air capability. As we reduce our overseas land bases outside of Europe in consonance with the Nixon Doctrine, the aircraft carrier has become increasingly central to that mission. It has and will continue to be, in many cases, as in Vietnam in the beginning, the only way we can bring air support to allies in need.

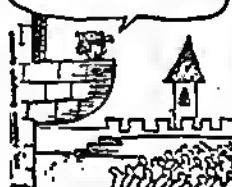
"Second, the aircraft carrier is a necessary part of our sea control forces.... If any U.S. forces are to be delivered to support our overseas allies in the face of opposition at sea, that is if we are to have any credible alliances, we will need carriers and modern ones.

"Third, the carrier provides peacetime presence. As the number of our land-based forces deployed overseas declines, we will need to keep some evidence of power in sight. This will at the same time sustain our allies' confidence in us and demonstrate by our presence both our capability and our determination to protect our commerce and our sources of strategic materials from any interruption."

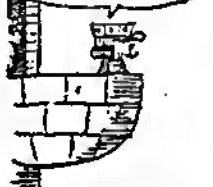
"... We have the mission of manifesting an overseas presence sufficiently powerful and visible to make plain to any possible adversary, as well as to our allies, that any effort to challenge our vital overseas interests or those of our allies could bring confrontation with American armed might."

--Adm. Elmo R. Zumwalt, Jr.  
Chief of Naval Operations

...IN CONCLUSION, FELLOW PEASANTS, LET ME STRESS THE NEED FOR PEACE AND HARMONY.



REMEMBER THE GOLDEN RULE... WE MUST ALL LIVE BY THE GOLDEN RULE.



# Japanese People's Movements

When the Midway comes to Japan, it will be met with huge demonstrations by tens of thousands of Japanese people. At least one of these will be as large as some of the largest anti-war actions ever held in the US. Yet the Japanese military is not involved in any wars right now, and the Midway will not be going immediately to Vietnam to bomb. So why are the Japanese people opposed to the Midway's home-porting in Japan? We have to go back to the end of World War II to see why their opposition is so strong.

## THE US AND ITS "JUNIOR PARTNER"

General MacArthur came to Japan to supervise the US occupation in 1945. A main aim of the US was to break up the huge monopolies (called zaibatsu) which gave Japan strength to fight a war. Also, the US businesses didn't want the competition. And both the US and Japanese people wanted these companies broken up.

But by 1947, American control of Asia was being threatened by the Chinese revolution and by popular revolutions in Vietnam and Korea. And conditions were bad in Japan, working people were prepared to have a general strike which would have changed the government.

So the US reversed itself. It crushed the labor unions, and encouraged the Japanese zaibatsu to rebuild. But the US capitalists didn't like the idea of a strong Japanese military that would support an independent empire to compete with the US. So the US wrote a constitution for



Yokosuka anti-homeporting demonstration, September 15, 1973

Japan which says that "land, sea, and air forces will never be maintained."

This constitution, which also eliminated the powerful role of the Emperor, was popular among the people of Japan, but not with the government. By 1951 the US and Japanese governments agreed to a Mutual Security Treaty that made Japan a "junior partner" of the US.

But the people were opposed to the US bases, and there were demonstrations against them which made the US nervous. They decided that Japan needed to rearm some to protect bases. They created the forerunner of the Self Defense Forces. This was a direct attack on the Constitution by the government.

And in 1960, the US and Japanese governments agreed bases would remain and that more steps were needed to build up the Japanese military. This was very unpopular. The people didn't want US bases for one thing, and they felt that a large military would oppress them at home and get them into war again overseas.

There were huge demonstrations all over Japan, and the Prime Minister was forced to resign. But the US knew what it wanted from Japan. They sent a nuclear sub to Sasebo to "show the flag" during this crucial time. This was to show the Japanese that the US might give them even worse terms, like more bases. It was a threat to all Japanese who had good reason to hate anything nuclear after Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

But the treaty (called AMPO) was renewed anyway, and by 1962 the armed forces was up to 243,000 men. The army

8 had 13 divisions, the navy had 468 ships, and the air force had 1,100 planes. The Japanese people saw more of their taxes going to support a military that was not only illegal, but that they distrusted and didn't want. The Liberal Democratic Party, totally dominated by the strong monopolies, moved to crush the opposition to this remilitarization.

#### VIETNAM WAR

During the Vietnam War, as in the Korean War, the Japanese fought in parliament and in the streets to oppose US intervention in other people's affairs. Part of this anti-war feeling was also against the Japanese government which allowed the US to use the country as a supply depot. Japanese big business made a pile during the war supplying US troops with weapons and supplies. These businesses made about \$2 billion at the height of the war directly from their ties with the US military.

The Japanese didn't need the extra jobs, there was a labor shortage. And inflation and pollution, both related to the war, were getting worse.

As before with the Korean War and security treaty struggles, there were hundreds of demonstrations against the war in Japan. Probably the biggest was in Shinjuku, Tokyo in 1968, when people tried to stop trains carrying aviation fuel and weapons bound for Vietnam. Over 100,000 people clashed with the police for a whole day, and trains had to be rerouted for days afterwards.

#### BEAUTIFUL MT. FUJI?

The US, under the AMPO treaty, still has 173 bases in mainland Japan or Okinawa. Gradually, some of these are turned over to the growing Self Defense Forces, and many like

Yokosuka are shared. The Japanese people have tried to force the US to give bases up so the land could be used for farming or housing. One of these bases, the North Fuji base, has been the focus of struggles by local people since 1955.

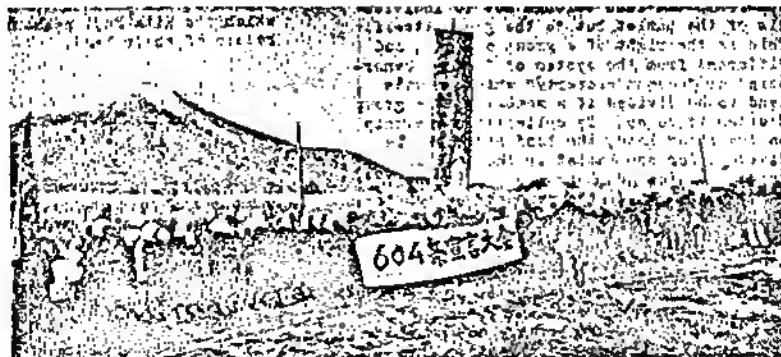
The firing range, called Kita Fuji, occupies about 20,000 acres on gently sloping land at the base of Mt. Fuji. The land traditionally belongs to a whole village, and was used collectively by the peasants for crops and grazing. In 1936, one third was taken by the Japanese military to train troops that fought in WWII. And when the US defeated Japan, the US declared that it would be a US training area. It has been exactly that since.

In 1955, the people began to fight for the land. Women organized the Shibukusa Mothers Group to oppose both the military use of the common land, and the fact that the village was becoming a military town. The president of the group said:

Unless we love our land and nature and make better use of it, we cannot be human beings; as long as we depend on the US military we are not human beings... Once we lost the land, our basic spirit had also been lost.

The Women started to live on the land, moving around to prevent shelling practice. They sat down in front of flame throwers. They have been fighting for 18 years. During the Vietnam war, when marines trained there every day, their slogan was "Don't link Mt. Fuji with Vietnam."

But the US military is determined too, since the base is the only good firing range in Asia. Now the Self Defense Forces use the range also, and have 900 people stationed there. Riot police have gone in many times, and the headquarters of the movement was



Farm women rally at Kita Fuji against US base



Women of the Shibakusa Mothers Group

bulldozed at least 28 times, only to be rebuilt each time.

The Kita Fuji peasants and anti-war GIs have established some solidarity. Marines have made tapes to encourage others "to reject orders to practice for murder." These are broadcast over the radio to the base.

#### CRACKS IN THE KEYSTONE

Okinawa is the "keystone" of the US military ever since it was captured from Japan in 1945. The WWII peace treaty with Japan left the Okinawans dominated by a US military commander. And soon the island of one million people was covered with bases. Over  $\frac{1}{2}$  of US bases in Japan are on this small island. Many people are forced from their land into working on the bases.

In the early 1960s, most Okinawans felt that they should be part of Japan again, and US control was getting more oppressive. But they wanted good terms for reversion, not to be a Japanese satellite. But Japan was greedy and demanded heavy control of their lives. When the Japanese premier visited in 1965, demonstrations against him were so large that he had to hide out on a US base.

Militant strikes by the Zengunro baseworkers union got stronger every year. In 1970, after a US jeep killed a woman, ten thousand people took control of the streets in Koza and fought all night. Over 80 US vehicles were burned.

When Okinawa finally reverted to Japan in 1972, the people's problems

got worse. No  $\frac{1}{2}$  are occupied by 9 the Self Defense Forces and US troops. And most SDF troops are not there to defend Okinawans, but to stop a rebellion by Okinawans against US bases and their new Japanese masters.

Feelings get stronger every day as Japanese companies build refineries and factories that are too polluting for Japan proper. Also prostitution is increasing as more Japanese hotels encourage Japanese tourists to come.

So now the Okinawans have three enemies.

#### STOP THIEU'S TANKS!

Kanagawa Prefecture, where Yokosuka base is located, is also blotted by other bases, including the Sagami maintenance depot. All during the Vietnam war, damaged armored personnel carriers, tanks, and other vehicles were repaired there to be used again. Every week the Sagami citizens could see muddy tanks and APCs coming from Yokohama to their city. And every week they saw trucks with rebuilt weapons heading back to Yokohama. But for a long time nothing happened.

Then in the summer of 1972, trade union and citizens groups began to fight against the base. They fought



Students and citizens of Sagami against the US Army

on the legal front, which eventually failed, and finally mobilized thousands of citizens. They put up tents near the base main gate. At first, only left-wing youth were involved, but after the riot police cracked heads and arrested people almost daily, the whole city rose up angry against the US and Japanese governments. It was citizens of Sagami, not

outside agitators, who reacted to police violence by throwing rocks and bottles in the battles with police.

This is one description of the scene:

Two or three thousand people from all walks of life would gather every night near the tent village, couples, businessmen, families, workers, boisterous young men, mothers and children. Spontaneous teach ins were formed where people freely expressed their opinions and asked questions: why do we have to stop the transport of US military vehicles, how can we demand that bases be moved out of the city, why are the helmeted students here, how can we struggle against those brutally armored riot police?"

Under police attacks, all the people became the enemy of the riot police. After a month of struggle, when the Army tried to move out ten APCs, there were 10,000 people blocking the street, and more than 5000

of them decided to sit-in. It was only with the help of thousands of police that the tanks got through.



After months of opposition, tanks move out of Sagami with heavy police protection. September, 1972.



#### SAILOR RESIGNS

I have refused to allow myself to take any part in the launching of these planes. Here in Japan I have recieved much support for my struggle. Though the Japanese do not want the US here, their behavior to just plain people is outstanding. I can think of no place I would rather live. My support is with the Japanese people 100% particularly in their struggle against the tanks. I wish there were more I could do to help them in this. The struggles going on now, both with the tanks and my own with the Navy, really illustrates how much people all over are alike. The feelings here are the same as America. Now that I have seen how world wide the peace movement is my hope is lit anew.

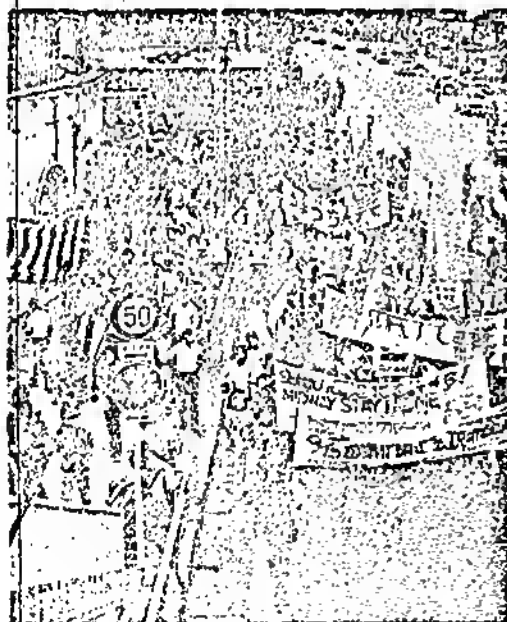
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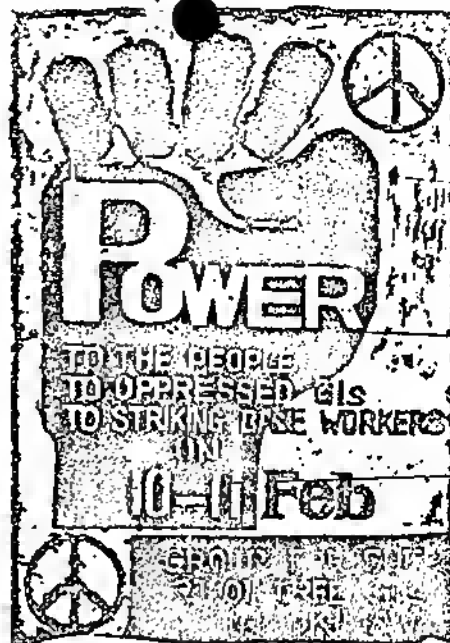
Throughout the 1950s and 1960s Japanese resistance to the US military and their "own" military has grown stronger. A large group called Beheiren (Citizens Committee for Peace in Vietnam) struggled to end the war, especially Japanese participation in it. They held huge demonstrations, and even worked with anti-war American servicepeople. And now even more people are willing to fight to end the remilitarization of Japan under the Nixon doctrine.

The Midway homeporting is a new stage in Japan-US collaboration. The US now needs Japan to help fight its wars and police the area. The people see that their country will be used as a big base for any wars that the US will wage in the future. With the Midway here, and their Self Defense Forces growing by 20% every year, they can see more clearly than many people in the US what will happen again in Asia. It is more than likely that Japan, with a government that follows the US line, will engage in another war with other Asian people. Their determination to stop this collaboration is growing every day, as you can see by the demonstrations all over against homeporting.

In Yokosuka alone, there are several groups planning demonstrations



Anti-homeporting demonstration in Yokosuka, September 15, 1973



in September and October. These will be even larger than last spring when the Midway was first expected. The groups are strongest in schools and factories in Kanagawa Prefecture, but also several citizens groups were formed just to oppose homeporting.

One of these groups is the Yokosuka Citizens Group, which shares the Vietnam Veterans Against the War office. They are hoping to work with American servicepeople against the homeporting. Other groups are still larger, and are led by either old-left or new-left groups with different political ideas.

Most of these groups and people are not against servicepeople and their families. For over 6 years, since some sailors refused to go to Vietnam, they understand that military related people are a lot like themselves, and don't want to be stationed away from home. In the past many servicepeople have strongly supported the Japanese people in their struggles, and the Japanese want to build solidarity between the groups to fight the real enemy--the military command and US and Japanese government policies.

As in most of the demonstrations in the past 13 years, there will be divisions between Japanese groups about which is the best way to win their fight. But all of them are opposed to homeporting, and their demonstrations they hope will help educate other Japanese people about the issue and get them moving.

# YOKOSUKA: A ROSE GARDEN?

Through coercion and promises the Navy convinced all but 400 of the Midway crew to volunteer to be homeported in Yokosuka. Many sailors on other ships were also originally volunteers. But after being here for awhile, many want to go back to the states and want no part in the Navy's overseas mission. It would be interesting to take a poll after the Midway has been here for a few months, to see how many sailors and marines would still volunteer.



THE HONCHO: BARS & WOMEN

There are two US military installations in Yokosuka. The official one is the base. The unofficial one is called The Honcho or shit street or Thieves Alley, depending on how you feel about it. There are bars, stick dog stands, and souvenir shops. Its purposes are to rip Sailors and Marines off and to help the brass keep the troops pacified. Its patrolled by SPs and the bar owners are told in advance about ships movements, so they can be ready.

Few people really dig the Honcho. But there's no other place to go if you don't speak Japanese, have little money, and are pretty tired after working or skating all day. The bars have been remodeling and enlarging to get ready for the Midway. The number of guys stationed here will double. Many Sailors and Marines already stationed or homeported here don't want the Midway to come—they feel an already bad scene will be worse.

The main attractions of the bars are women, booze, and juke boxes. Most of the bar owners advertise their women as the hottest and sexiest. The women earn money by having drinks bought for them. This means they have to flirt and tease to make a living. A man never has to light his own cigarette, pour his own beer, or treat any of these women like people. A lot of them aren't prostitutes, like in PI because they aren't as desperate. This causes resentment and misunderstandings because of the eds, and the lifer's sea stories.

Bar women spend 10 hours a day 7 days a week getting shoved, mauled, insulted, felt up, ridiculed, propositioned, leered at, laughed at, and talked at. They have to pretend they love it or they lose drinks and money. It's not real common for sailors and women on the Honcho to establish good, close relationships.

Why do women work in bars if it's such a bummer? Many of them got started in the bars the same way you got sucked into the service. Many are from poor families, small towns and farms. The bar owners send recruiters around promising fun, travel, and glamour. The owners "lend" the women money for travel, clothes, make-up, and living to help them get started. They paint a pretty good picture—remember "Join the Navy and see the world, while learning a skill?" After they work awhile they get the picture, but then it's too late. They have to keep working to support themselves, stay well dressed and pay back the debt on top of that.

Many guys say the bar women make lots of money. Some of them do. They are the exceptions though. They are the most attractive by western standards and know the hussling routine real well. Plus they pick up money on the side through prostitution. But a few people make it in the service too by getting lucky breaks in the beginning or by brown-nosing. But that doesn't change the fact, that the Navy and Marines aren't such a great life

for the majority of EMs. And even for the Bar Women who make lots of money, it's still hard and degrading work.

One way out is to hustle enough money to live, pay the debt, and save for a new start. Another way out is to marry a sailor or marine, have him pay the debt and hope the US is a better place. Some of the women are daughters of bar women and get trapped from birth. Many older women stay on even after the debt is paid, because it is the only thing they know how to do. If you think this still sounds a lot like the military, you're right.

Who benefits from all this? Not sailors or marines or bar women. But the bar owners make a lot of money. The brass think they have a good way to keep the troops happy. They don't really care as long as you keep working and saluting. As bad as the Honcho is it's something to do with time and money.

#### DOPE

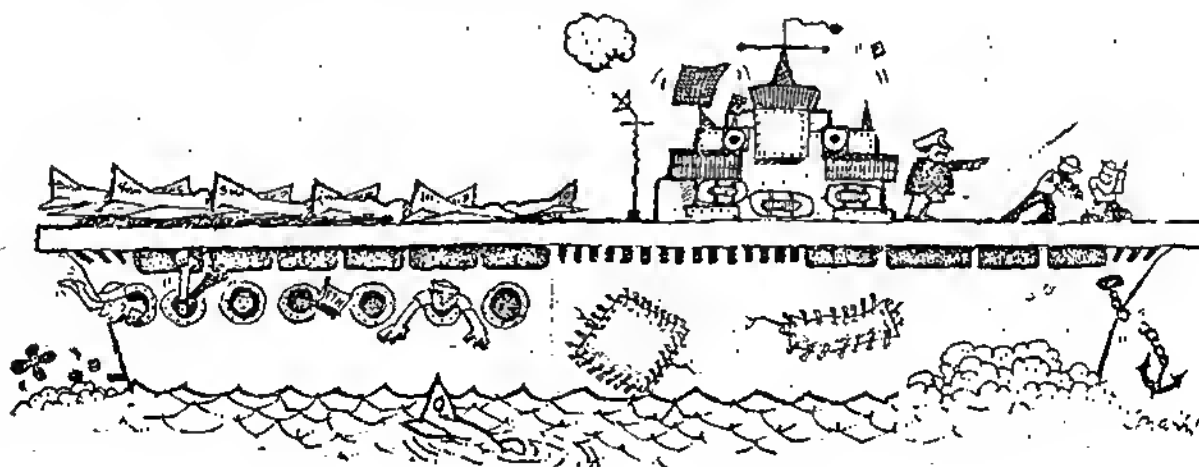
The other form of pacification in Yokosuka is dope. The brass is pretty lenient even though they crack down occasionally or in example cases. Guys say that when there is going to be a piss test or they are going to run the dogs through, you almost always hear about it in advance. The brass was really cracking down on the Midway before it left, but we'll have to see how that changes here. If you are caught sentences are usually pretty light or you can volunteer once for the Drug Exemption program. Its pretty bullshit, most people use drugs while going through the program.

The Japanese government is much more harsh than the Navy. People have done several years for possession, and there is no amnesty program.

The most popular and easiest to get drug is scag. People snort it, smoke it and shoot it. One guy estimates that 25% of the guys in his division are regular users. Most people don't get strung out like junkies in the States, but smack can bring you down pretty far. In Japanese drugstores you can buy speed, reds, and pink ladies. Pink Ladies, the second most used drug here, are like a cross between an upper and downer. Absinthe, said to be opium based, is served in the bars, watch out because its cured in worm-wood which is a slow acting poison in large quantities. Acid and speed on the street are usually pretty poor quality and grass is hard to get, except when a ship is back from a cruise.

Why do most people use downer drugs? They are easiest to get. Also as one sailor said "Most people use it to get away from everyday life on the ship. Its almost impossible to get away from Yokosuka or the Navy without going in debt. And you really cant have any hobbies on the boat or in the barracks." Another added -- "The Navy is really using drugs as an escape valve. If you're strung out or worried where you're going to get your next fix, you're really not worried about illegal EMI and shit like that. You're not worried about losing your rights."

The Navy uses drugs just like the establishment in the American ghettos does. As long as the people they are trying to keep down



are on downers they have no problem. The Navy has a two-faced policy. On one side they tell the press and Congress that they are fighting the drug problem. But on the other side they know they need drugs to keep the lower EMs from fighting back against military injustice and the sad living and working conditions in the Navy.

#### DEPENDENTS IN YOKOSUKA

About one third of the Midway crew is married. Over the next year many women and children will be coming to join their husbands. Many women whose husbands are on other ships are here already. Base housing was scarce even before the Midway came. This means many people will have to find housing on the economy. It's better in some ways because you can get away from the military. But women can also feel very isolated if they don't speak Japanese.

Also women married to EMs get pretty bad treatment by the military. There aren't many recreation or training facilities. The medical system is infamous for poor treatment of EM wives. The Navy tries to deprive women of their civil rights by

harassing their husbands or threatening to lift their command sponsorship if they speak out. So it's real important for women to know their rights.

Two women work at New Peoples Center, one is a lawyer. We want to meet other women and learn more about women's lives in Japan. Also if we get together, we can find ways to support each other and work for changes. Women in Okinawa have fought for better conditions and even established a day care center.

This is a pretty bleak picture of life for EMs and their families in the area. But that's how it is now. Japan is good to visit and for the Japanese who live here. But none of us should be here. We belong back in the states trying to solve problems there.



Okinawa. GI's show solidarity with Okinawan struggle to end 25 years of U.S. occupation.

# FROM THE MIDWAY:

We people of the Center for Servicemen's Rights and concerned sailors aboard the USS Midway wish to express our support of the right of the people of Japan and all of Asia to determine their own future, and to be spared massive US military presence.

The idea of homeporting a carrier in Japan is an extension of the policies that led to the Vietnam conflict. It allows the US government to keep a strong check on the people of Asia and to oppose any country whose ideas of liberation differ from that of the US government. There will always be the threat and fear of another Vietnam as long as the US government is allowed to carry on its policy of imperialism throughout the world.

The Navy presently is trying to fight the GI movement on the USS Midway by transferring most of the crew, and especially those who are against US government policies, off the ship and replacing them with "volunteers." This does nothing to change the conditions and policies that Midway sailors are resisting and oppressed by in the homeporting of the Midway. As this becomes clear to the "volunteer" lower EMs, we think they too will turn against homeporting and join with Japanese friends to fight homeporting in Yokosuka.

Until then, we shall continue to oppose this policy and give our support to the people of Japan struggling against homeporting.



In solidarity,

Midway brothers  
Center for Servicemen's Rights  
Alameda, California  
September 10, 1973

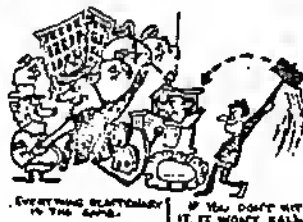
# RESISTANCE ON THE MIDWAY

The Midway's last overseas cruise was the longest any carrier had ever made. Having experienced the long hours, oppressive working and living conditions, dictatorial military "justice", and seeing first hand the Navy's mission; many sailors did not want to be homeported overseas. They felt being based in Yokosuka would be like a two year cruise.

Several sailors contacted people in the Stop Our Ship movement in Alameda. After talking with other sailors who had organized on ships and bases, they decided to circulate a petition against the homeporting. The petition was a way to rap with other guys on the Midway, and to get an idea how strong the opposition to homeporting really was. They didn't trust the Navy volunteer figures because the bureaucratic procedures made it hard to understand how not to volunteer.

The petition had four main points.

- (1) We are freely opposed to the excessive expansion of US military forces overseas.
- (2) We object to the false statements made by the military that there is an all volunteer crew.
- (3) We disapprove of the US government's lack of preparations in providing housing and other living accommodations.
- (4) It is the right of all military personnel as citizens-soldiers of the US to practice individually or collectively their rights as citizens, namely; free speech, peaceable assembly, freedom of the press, and the



right to petition Congress.

In the first few days they got over 200 signatures. Then the Capt. ordered them to stop. He said they must have his approval before they could circulate a petition to Congress. With the help of the Bay Area Military Law Panel, they filed a suit against the Captain and the Secretary of the Navy. The suit is still in Federal Court. The Navy is trying to kill it by transferring all the plaintiffs off the ship.

Even though the petition is in limbo, sailors continued to organize against the homeporting. Japanese people and Americans working with the GI movement in Yokosuka made a slide show about homeporting which was shown several times at Shakeys in Alameda. Also on Armed Forces Day people from the Midway, Oriskany, and other boats came to picnic, hear music, and talk about ways to build the movement. One of the main things people from the Midway did was to educate themselves about homeporting and American Imperialism.

In August the Captain decided he might get a better response from the crew if he changed his reputation from hardass to nice guy. He gave a barbecue on the flight deck for the crew, to answer their questions about homeporting. He assumed that since all the lifers and officers would be there to back him up, no one would ask difficult questions or oppose the Midway's mission.

He was dead wrong. It turned out that lots of people had been doing hard thinking about homeporting. About 200 Blacks took a unified position against homeporting and Navy racism. Other Black and White sailors who had been studying homeporting and US imperialism let loose with their questions and feelings too. He cut the question period short.

During the next month, the Navy tried to get all the troublemakers off the ship. Their goal was an all-volunteer docile crew. They fell 400 short of all-volunteer and far short of docile. They forgot that some of the most active people were once volunteers. The best anti-Navy organizing is done by the Navy itself. The realities of homeporting will become clear to the new volunteers just like they did to the previous volunteers.

September 10th, the day before deployment, Midway brothers sent a message of solidarity to the Japanese anti-homeporting movement.

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1 - Mr. [REDACTED]  
1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

SAC, Kansas City (100-14836)

10/24/73

Director, FBI (100-448092)

**VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO)  
IS - VVAW/WSO  
(KANSAS CITY DIVISION)**

Re FBIHQ letter captioned as above to St. Louis dated 10/15/73 and Kansas City dated 10/17/73.

Referenced FBIHQ letter to St. Louis listed [REDACTED] Columbia, Missouri 65201, telephone number, [REDACTED] is located in the St. Louis Division. Columbia, Missouri, is located in the Kansas City Division, and accordingly, since [REDACTED] has been identified as being associated with the VVAW/WSO, Kansas City should handle investigation of [REDACTED] pursuant to the instructions set forth in referenced letter to Kansas City. b7c

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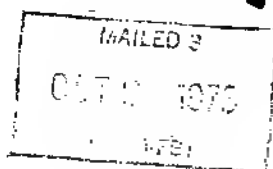
**NOTE:**

Referenced letters advised each field office of the identity of some VVAW/WSO members and instructed more intensive investigation be undertaken to determine the current status of the VVAW/WSO. [REDACTED] VVAW/WSO member, was inadvertently identified as being in the St. Louis territory.

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8:45 PM NITEL 10/19/73 TJL

TO: DIRECTOR  
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FROM: MILWAUKEE (100-21561) (P)

WISCONSIN AMNESTY PROJECT, SPONSORED BY VIETNAM VETERANS  
AGAINST THE WAR / WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION, MADISON,  
WISC., 10/26-28/73. IS - VVAW. OO: MILWAUKEE.

RE CINCINNATI AIRTEL AND LHM, 10/11/73, CAPTIONED  
"MIDWEST AMNESTY CONFERENCE, SPONSORED BY VVAW/WSO,  
CINCINNATI, OHIO, 9/21-23/73."

FOR INFO RECEIVING OFFICES, REFERENCED AIRTEL AND  
LHM REFLECTED [REDACTED] ADVISED IT WAS ANNOUNCED THERE  
WAS TO BE A CONFERENCE, "WISCONSIN AMNESTY PROJECT", AT  
EDGEWOOD COLLEGE, MADISON, WISCONSIN, 10/26-28/73. SOURCES  
STATE ONE REASON VVAW/WSO AFFILIATES WITH RELIGIOUS GROUPS  
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CAPTIONED GROUP MADE UP MAINLY OF INTERESTED GROUPS WHICH WERE NOT REPRESENTED AT THE MIDWESTERN AMNESTY CONFERENCE IN CINCINNATI ON 9/21-23/73.

ON 10/19/73 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] EDGEWOOD COLLEGE, MADISON, WISCONSIN, ADVISED VVAW SPONSORING CONFERENCE TO BE HELD

ON EDGEWOOD COLLEGE GROUNDS 10/26-28/73. EDGEWOOD COLLEGE NOT SPONSORING CONFERENCE, AND SHE HAD NO FURTHER DETAILS.

CONFERENCE OPEN TO PUBLIC. REGISTRATION SET FOR 10/26/73, 5:00 - 7:00 PM.

[REDACTED] ADVISED HE WILL ATTEND CONFERENCE. VVAW SOURCES AND OTHER SOURCES MILWAUKEE DIVISION BEING CONTACTED TO DETERMINE THEIR AVAILABILITY TO ATTEND CONFERENCE.

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AUTHORITY AND ADVISE MILWAUKEE.

MILWAUKEE WILL ADVISE IF SUITABLE COVERAGE CAN  
BE AFFORDED CONFERENCE BY MILWAUKEE SOURCES.

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9:17PM NITEL 10/24/73 LSK

TO DIRECTOR (100-448092)

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INTERNATIONAL DEMONSTRATION FOR KARLETON ARMSTRONG SUPPORTED  
 BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER  
 ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO), MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN, 10/27/73;

IS - VVAW/WSO

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ON INSTANT DATE, A SOURCE, WHO HAS PROVIDED RELIABLE  
 INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED AN INTERNATIONAL  
 DEMONSTRATION IS SCHEDULED FOR 12 NOON AT MILWAUKEE COUNTY  
 COURTHOUSE, MILWAUKEE, WIS., 10/27/73 FOR KARLETON ARMSTRONG,  
 WHO PLEA GUILTY TO SECOND DEGREE MURDER FOR HIS PART IN  
 BOMBING OF STERLING HALL, UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, MADISON, WIS.,  
 DURING 8/70. MILWAUKEE VVAW IN FULL AGREEMENT OF SUPPORTING  
 KARLETON ARMSTRONG AND IS CURRENTLY CONTACTING VARIOUS ANTI-  
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DEMONSTRATION WILL BE CANCELLED.

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DEMONSTRATION, ALONG WITH [REDACTED] (NY)  
MILWAUKEE WILL FOLLOW.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

FROM : SAC, CINCINNATI (100-19743) (P)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
IS - VVAW/WSO  
(Cincinnati Division)

DATE: 10/24/73

ReBulet to CI, dated 10/16/73.

Enclosed for Louisville and Cleveland is one xerox copy each of referenced communication.

Cincinnati has instituted the analysis and evaluation requested in Bureau letter. A copy of Bureau letter is being furnished to Cleveland as the Bowling Green, Ohio address for [REDACTED] is covered by the Cleveland Division.

As the Bureau is aware, [REDACTED] Regional Leader of the VVAW in Cincinnati, resides in Ft. Thomas, Kentucky and Louisville is origin in his case. In that regard, it may be noted that [REDACTED] VVAW activities in the Cincinnati area are substantially covered through [REDACTED]

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(100-6079) [REDACTED]  
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8:35 PM 10/16/73 NITEL JWM

TO DIRECTOR (100-448092) ATTN: INTD  
FROM [REDACTED] 4P

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RE [REDACTED] CITY AIRTEL TO BUREAU AND [REDACTED] 9/27/73;  
[REDACTED] TELETYPE TO BUREAU 10/9/73.

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[REDACTED] NATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE  
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THAT THE NO WERE TAKING ANY DEFINITE SECURITY MEASURES [REDACTED]  
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1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

To: SACs, [REDACTED] (Enclosures) (2) b7D

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From: Director, FBI (100-448092) - 3233

1 - Mr. [REDACTED] b7C

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO)  
INTERNAL SECURITY

Re airtel dated 10/16/73, captioned "VVAW/WSO, IS -  
VVAW/WSO," no copies to [REDACTED] b7D

Enclosed for [REDACTED] two copies of referenced  
teletype which relates information from [REDACTED]  
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VVAW/WSO headquarters, [REDACTED] b7D

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[REDACTED] insure that in future information of  
direct interest to [REDACTED] which is office of origin in this  
case, is furnished to [REDACTED] on a prompt and timely basis.

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NOTE:

By teletype 10/16/73 [REDACTED] furnished information  
to FBIHQ that [REDACTED] informant and [REDACTED] b7D  
[REDACTED] and developed very pertinent information  
concerning VVAW/WSO. This information,  
however, was not furnished [REDACTED] and copies of teletype  
are being forwarded with this communication to [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] being reminded to insure that in future office of origin  
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7:12 PM NITEL 10/26/73 CFR

TO DIRECTOR ATTN INTD

MILWAUKEE (100-21561)

FROM CINCINNATI (100-21480) P 1P

WISCONSIN AMNESTY PROJECT, SPONSORED BY VVAW/WSO, MADISON, WISCONSIN,

10/26-28/73, IS -VVAW.

OO MILWAUKEE

*Victims Volunteering Against War*

RE MILWAUKEE NITELS TO BUREAU 10/19/73, AND 10/25/73.

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b7D [REDACTED] ADVISED 10/25/73, HE WILL NOT ATTEND WISCONSIN AMNESTY PROJECT (WAP) CONFERENCE, MADISON, WISCONSIN. SOURCE STATED HE DID NOT BELIEVE ANYBODY FROM SOUTHERN OHIO CHAPTERS OF VVAW EXPECTED TO ATTEND.

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315PM 10-27-73 NITEL PJT

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-443092)

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FROM: MILWAUKEE (100-15674) (P)

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INTERNATIONAL DEMONSTRATION FOR KARLETON ARMSTRONG SUPPORTED  
BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR, WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
(VVAW/WSO), MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN, 10-27-73. IS - VVAW/WSO.

ON INSTANT DATE, A SOURCE WHO HAS SUPPLIED RELIABLE  
INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED CAPTIONED DEMONSTRATION  
COMMENCED 12:05 PM INSTANT DATE, NORTH PARKING LOT, MILWAUKEE  
COUNTY COURTHOUSE, MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN. DEMONSTRATION  
CONSISTED OF 10 PEOPLE AND LASTED 20 MINUTES WITH MILWAUKEE  
VVAW/WSO CHAPTER THE ONLY ORGANIZATION REPRESENTED. DEMONSTRATION  
WAS IN SUPPORT OF KARL ARMSTRONG, WHO PLEAD GUILTY TO SECOND  
DEGREE MURDER FOR HIS PART IN THE BOMBING OF STERLING HALL.  
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, MADISON, WISCONSIN, DURING 8/70.

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DEMONSTRATION CONSISTED OF CARRYING POSTERS AND CHANTING. NO  
VIOLENCE, CONFRONTATIONS OR ARRESTS OCCURED.

ADMINISTRATIVE. RE MILWAUKEE WITEL TO DIRECTOR, 10-24-73.  
MILWAUKEE SOURCE IS [REDACTED] IN VIEW THAT NO VIOLENCE OR  
ARRESTS OCCURED, MILWAUKEE NOT SUBMITTING LHM.

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To : *JNG* Assistant Director  
 Information Management Division

Date 8/9/90

From : Legal Counsel *5/2/91*

Subject : NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD v.  
 ATTORNEY GENERAL, et al.  
 (U.S.D.C., S.D.N.Y.)  
 CIVIL ACTION NO. 77 CIV 999 (PKL)  
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*+ NLG ORDER*

**PURPOSE:** To request that Information Management Division (IMD) conduct a search of general indices to identify any person on the attached list that has an individual file reflecting activities in or affiliation with the National Lawyers Guild (NLG) and its projects and to appropriately label the file to insure compliance with the attached settlement.

**RECOMMENDATION:** (1) That IMD conduct a search of general indices to determine whether any individual on the attached list has a file identifiable with the NLG or its projects.

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(2) That IMD place a copy of the attached settlement in each file identified or otherwise appropriately label each file to insure compliance with the attached settlement.

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**DETAILS:** On 10/12/90, the parties to the captioned civil action entered into the attached Settlement and Stipulation of Dismissal. The Settlement was approved by the Court on 10/13/90. In addition to a general prohibition on the use or dissemination

Enclosures (2)

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Re: National Lawyers Guild v. Attorney General, et al.

of information on the NLG or its projects, the court approved settlement provides that present or former NLG members may request that their individual files which reflect Guild affiliation or activities be similarly withheld. Pursuant to this provision, the NLG has compiled the attached list of individual NLG members who have requested relief under 8c(iv) of the Settlement.<sup>1</sup>

Accordingly, IMD is requested to identify any individual on the attached list who has a file reflecting NLG affiliation or activities which was created prior to 3/1/77. Any identified file should be appropriately labeled to insure non-disclosure as required by the settlement. Please advise Legal Counsel Division as to the results of the indices search, including the number of individual files identifiable with the NLG, individuals for whom no file could be located or are not identical, and the actions taken to comply with the order. In addition, please preserve all search slips in case we are required to respond to the Court regarding our compliance. It is likely that no files will be identified with a substantial number of the individuals on the attached list. Finally, inasmuch as the Settlement applies to all FBI files, the Field should also be requested to conduct indices searches and to appropriately label their files.

We recognize that this is a time-consuming chore that is being imposed on IMD during a time of limited resources. Nevertheless, we have made this commitment to the court and we are

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<sup>1</sup> 8c(iv) provides in part:

c. The federal agencies which are parties defendant to this action (specifically, the FBI, the Central Intelligence Agency, the National Security Agency, the Internal Revenue Service, the Office of Personnel Management, the Postal Service, and the Departments of Defense, Justice, State, the Treasury, the Army, the Navy and the Air Force) shall not use, release or disclose, within or outside the Government:

(iv) any portion of any document or record created prior to March 1, 1977, or the information contained therein, to the extent that it mentions the Guild affiliation or Guild activities of any individual, provided, however, that because of the federal defendants' representation of the practical impossibility of assuring compliance with such broad restrictions, the following limitations shall apply:

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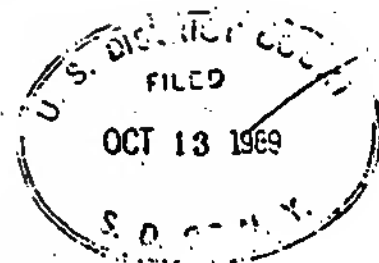
obligated to comply irrespective of the unreasonably large number of individuals. Therefore your cooperation will be appreciated.

Any questions regarding this matter may be directed to  
Supervisory Special Agent [REDACTED] Administrative Law  
Unit, LCD, at extension [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK



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NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD,	:	
Plaintiff,	:	STIPULATION AND
- against -	:	ORDER OF SETTLEMENT
	:	<u>AND DISMISSAL</u>
ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE	:	77 Civ. 999 (PKL)
UNITED STATES, <u>et al.</u> ,	:	
Defendants.	:	

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IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and among the parties as follows:

1. The parties agree to settle and compromise this action on the terms indicated below.
2. This action is hereby dismissed with prejudice as to all defendants except the City of New York, i.e., the "federal defendants."
3. Plaintiff hereby releases and forever discharges, and for its administrators, successors and assigns releases and forever discharges, the United States of America, its departments, agencies and past or present officials, officers and employees (and their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns) from all claims whatsoever, in law, admiralty, or equity, which plaintiff and its administrators, successors and assigns hereafter can, shall or may have for, upon or by reason of any surveillance, investigation, disruption, or similar conduct by the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI") directed toward the National Lawyers Guild (the "Guild") at any time prior to the date of this stipulation; provided, however, that

plaintiff is entitled to rely upon the federal defendants' representations set forth in paragraph 7 below, and any claim based upon any conduct of the federal defendants inconsistent with such representations shall not be barred by the above release.

4. Each party shall bear the costs and expenses of this litigation as they have been incurred or paid as of the date of this stipulation and no costs or expenses shall be taxed subsequently. Plaintiff and its attorneys waive all claims for attorneys' fees and expenses in connection with the prosecution of this action.

5. This stipulation and agreement does not constitute an admission by the plaintiff that any of the conduct of the federal defendants was lawful, or an admission by the federal defendants or any of their present or former officials, officers or employees that any of their conduct was unlawful or legally actionable.

6. Without conceding the legality or illegality of any of the federal defendants' actions, the parties agree that the discovery in this case has shown the following:

a. The FBI engaged in extensive activities with respect to the Guild for the period 1940 through March 1975, and in the course of those activities generated voluminous files on the Guild.

b. It appears more likely than not that between 1940 and 1951 the FBI surreptitiously entered the Guild's national office approximately 7 times without judicial warrant or

Attorney General authorization and copied the Guild's internal records. Some of the material thus obtained provided the Government in advance with drafts of a report the Guild was planning to release criticizing FBI surveillance practices, and with details of the Guild's related public campaign calling for an investigation of the FBI. The FBI used this material in an effort to counter the Guild's report even before its issuance.

c. The FBI without judicial warrant maintained a wiretap on the Guild's national office telephone between 1947 and 1951.

d. Information derived from the surreptitious entries formed a material part of the information placed before the Attorney General for his consideration in deciding whether to initiate proceedings to designate the Guild as a subversive organization under the Federal Employment Loyalty Security Program, Executive Order 10450. Such designation proceedings were begun in 1953.

e. The FBI received information from an informant on the national executive board of the Guild in 1953 and 1954 who reported on its deliberations and discussions with counsel concerning the Guild's defense of the EO 10450 administrative designation proceedings and its conduct of related litigation against the Government.

f. In 1958, the Department of Justice determined that on the basis of the evidence then available it was unable to go forward with the designation proceedings, and the Attorney General therefore rescinded the proposal to designate the Guild

as a subversive organization under EO 10450. There were no further proceedings against the Guild under EO 10450.

g. The FBI continued its activities with respect to the Guild after the designation proceedings were discontinued in 1958. A Department of Justice review conducted in 1972 of the FBI's files on the Guild for the preceding five years concluded that there was no basis at that time for an investigation of the Guild under the Internal Security Act of 1950. In 1974-1975 the FBI, with Department of Justice authorization, conducted a preliminary inquiry concerning the Guild's prison work without discovering any basis for a further investigation.

h. Alleged or suspected criminal wrongdoing was not the predicate or reason for FBI activity concerning the Guild. No criminal prosecutions of the Guild were ever authorized or undertaken by the Department of Justice.

i. From 1940 through the early 1970's, the FBI placed Guild members on its Security Index, Adex and related indices because of their leadership positions in the Guild or, in some cases, because of their membership in the Guild in conjunction with their actual or suspected membership in other organizations.

j. The FBI engaged in certain COINTELPRO and similar disruptive operations against the Guild and Guild members. The FBI used information it had derived from its other activities with respect to the Guild and Guild members for that purpose.

k. The FBI over several decades provided information from its files on the Guild affiliation and activities of individuals to the National Conference of Bar Examiners at the request of the NCBE.

1. Further, at various times in its activities with respect to the Guild, the FBI used numerous informants and confidential sources, including Guild members and staff and third parties in contact with the Guild; obtained Guild bank records from banks with which the Guild had banking relations; obtained information from the National Conference of Bar Examiners and from some character committees; monitored trash covers on the Guild; and obtained information about the Guild from its surveillance of the law offices of some Guild members, which surveillance included use of trash covers, wiretaps, informants on the temporary or permanent staff of the law offices, bank records and surreptitious entries.

m. The conclusions stated here do not imply that the FBI did or did not engage in other activities.

7. The federal defendants represent as follows:

a. There is not now, and has not been since March 1977, any FBI investigation or preliminary inquiry of any nature of the Guild or its chapters, or of its projects, activities or enterprises readily identifiable as such or of individuals based upon their Guild affiliation or activities, and the FBI does not presently have information warranting any such investigation or preliminary inquiry.

b. To the extent, if any, that FBI inquiries or investigation of third parties has resulted in surveillance or acquisition of information about the Guild since March 1, 1977, no information so acquired has been stored in FBI investigative (i.e., non-litigation) main files on the Guild or its projects (as specified in Appendix A hereto) or see-referenced or otherwise indexed to the Guild or its projects, except as may have been disclosed to the plaintiff in this litigation.

c. There have been no additions to FBI investigative (i.e., non-litigation) main files on the Guild or its projects (as specified in Appendix A) or to see-references on the Guild or its projects, since March 1977, except as may have been disclosed to the plaintiff in this litigation.

d. The FBI is not now, and has not since March 1977, engaged in any activities intended to disrupt or impede the activities of the Guild or the Guild activities of its members, or the activities of individuals based upon their Guild affiliation.

e. The FBI does not now, and has not since March 1977, used Guild members as informants or confidential sources with respect to matters involving the Guild or Guild activities, placed wiretaps or pen registers on Guild telephones, surreptitiously entered Guild premises, obtained access to Guild bank records, maintained mail covers on Guild mail, maintained trash covers on the Guild, obtained access to Guild information at mailhouses used by the Guild, otherwise secured mailing or

membership lists of the Guild or obtained phone records on the Guild's phones.

f. Since March 1, 1977, and presently, the FBI has not provided information on the Guild affiliation or activities of individuals to the National Conference of Bar Examiners or to bar admission committees.

8. The federal defendants agree to the following disposition of their files concerning the plaintiff:

a. For purposes of this provision, the "FBI files on the Guild" means Headquarters, Field Office and Legat main files on the National Lawyers Guild and its projects (as specified in Appendix A); wiretap logs included in the main file on Robert Silberstein; EBF's to the Guild main files and the wiretap logs in the Silberstein main file; the see-reference cards and any other similar computerized or non-computerized reference capable of locating Guild-related information in files other than main files on the Guild, as well as references to the Guild in the Elsur Index and any indices to the informant files; and copies of the foregoing and any summaries thereof included in the FBI file on this litigation (62-117572). It is limited to documents created prior to the date of this stipulation.

b. Within 180 days after the date of this stipulation, the FBI shall place all copies of the "FBI files on the Guild" in its possession or custody in secure storage under the supervision of the Deputy Assistant Director, Legal Counsel Division, and shall not dispose of, or permit access to, such

files before the year 2025. At that time the files may be transferred to the National Archives and Records Service.

c. The federal agencies which are parties defendant to this action (specifically, the FBI, the Central Intelligence Agency, the National Security Agency, the Internal Revenue Service, the Office of Personnel Management,\* the Postal Service, and the Departments of Defense, Justice, State, the Treasury, the Army, the Navy and the Air Force) shall not use, release or disclose, within or outside the Government:

- (i) any "FBI files on the Guild" readily identifiable as such, or copies thereof, in their possession or custody;
- (ii) any portion of any document or record which is shown on its face to have been generated, prior to the date of this stipulation, in the course of any FBI activities directed in whole or in part toward the Guild, to the extent it concerns the Guild or its activities or the Guild affiliation or Guild activities of any individual;
- (iii) any information contained in (i) and (ii) or reasonably identifiable as having been derived from (i) and (ii); or

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\* The Office of Personnel Management is substituted as a party defendant in place of the Civil Service Commission pursuant to Rule 25 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

(iv) any portion of any document or record created prior to March 1, 1977, or the information contained therein, to the extent that it mentions the Guild affiliation or Guild activities of any individual, provided, however, that because of the federal defendants' representation of the practical impossibility of assuring compliance with such broad restrictions, the following limitations shall apply:

(a) With respect to documents or records of defendant federal agencies other than the FBI, this subparagraph (iv) shall apply only to such documents or records as are contained in a file the subject of which is either the Guild or a "Requesting Individual" (as defined below).

(b) With respect to documents or records of the FBI, this subparagraph (iv) shall apply only to such documents or records as are contained in a main file the subject of which is a "Requesting Individual" (as defined below), or in a volume containing see-references to the Guild, or in serials which are see-referenced to a

Requesting Individual (but only to the extent that such serials are accessed through the name of the Requesting Individual).

(c) A "Requesting Individual" is a present or former Guild member who requests, in writing, that this subparagraph (iv) be applied to him or her, and who includes in such request his or her full name, any previous names, date and place of birth, and social security number. Such information is required to identify relevant documents and records and will not be used for any other purpose. Requests must be sent to plaintiff's counsel and forwarded by them to counsel for the federal defendants within 180 days of the date of this stipulation.

d. Nothing herein shall preclude any agency from returning to the FBI any "FBI files on the Guild" or copies thereof in its possession (in which event the FBI shall handle such files as provided in subparagraph (b) above), or from disposing of any files by either destroying them in the ordinary course of business, or transferring them to the National Archives and Records Service in or after the year 2025. The United States Attorney's Office for the Southern District of New York will

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return any copies of the "FBI files on the Guild" in its possession to the FBI within 90 days of the date of this Stipulation.

e. If, upon the application of a third party, subparagraphs (b) or (c) above, or any portion thereof, shall be invalidated by any court, no other provision of this stipulation and order shall thereby be affected.

f. Anything in this stipulation to the contrary notwithstanding, the Department of Justice may have access to and use of any of the documents and records described in subparagraphs (a), (b) and (c) above to the extent relevant and material to the defense of the United States or any of its departments, agencies, officers or employees in any judicial or administrative proceedings the gravamen of which arises from conduct alleged to have occurred prior to the date of this stipulation. Appropriate records shall be maintained of any such use. Upon completion of the litigation for which the records were necessary, they and any records derived from them shall be restored to the status quo ante except if they were filed as part of the court record in the litigation.

g. Nothing in this stipulation shall preclude the Guild from requesting the release to it, under the Freedom of Information Act or any successor statutes, of those portions of the "FBI files on the Guild" not previously released to it, or the FBI from releasing the same to the Guild if appropriate under such statutes; provided, however, that the Guild shall make no such request prior to January 1, 1994.

h. Nothing in this stipulation shall preclude the federal defendants from releasing or disclosing any document or file at the request or with the authorization of the subject of such document or file.

Dated: New York, New York  
October 12, 1989

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SO ORDERED:

  
United States District Judge

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## NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD

### National Projects & Committees

National Labor Project  
National Labor Committee  
Labor Law Center Task Force  
National Labor Law Center  
Labor Committee  
National Immigration Project  
National Interim Commission on Oppression of Women  
National Committee to Combat Women's Oppression (NCCWO)  
National Committee on Women's Oppression  
Police Crimes Task Force  
Task Force on Minority Legal Resources  
International Committee  
Prison Task Force  
National Prison Network  
Military Law Project  
Military Law Office  
Military Law Task Force  
Military Law Office/Military Law Task Force  
Summer Projects Committee  
NLG Law Student Clearinghouse  
Law Students in Action  
National Housing Task Force  
Legal Services Task Force  
Task Force on Minority Adms.  
Puerto Rico Project  
Puerto Rico Subcommittee  
Instituto Puertorriqueno de Derechos Civiles  
Grand Jury Project  
Affirmative Action/Anti-Discrimination Committee  
Anti-Fascist Contact  
Anti-Nuke Legal Project  
Anti-Semitism Task Force  
  
Housing Contact  
Immigration Project  
Subcommittee on China, International Committee  
Subcommittee on Cuba, International Committee  
Cuba Subcommittee  
Subcommittee on Southern Africa, International Committee  
Subcommittee on Vietnam, International Committee  
Law Student Organizing Committee  
Legal Workers Caucus  
National Committee Against Gov't Repression & Police Crimes  
Prison Committee  
Red Baiting Task Force  
Theoretical Studies on the Law and the State  
Theoretical Studies Committee  
Central America Task Force  
Civil Liberties Committee

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National Energy Project  
People's Energy Project  
Subcommittee on Racist Groups  
The Public Eye  
Irish Task Force  
Ireland Task Force  
Middle East Subcommittee  
South African Subcommittee  
Travel Subcommittee  
Visa Denial Project  
Third World Caucus  
Criminal Law Task Force  
Criminal Justice Committee  
Economic Rights Task Force  
International Debt Crisis Subcommittee  
Legal Services Task Force  
Anti-Sexism Task Force  
Gay Rights Subcommittee  
Gay Rights Task Force  
AIDS Network  
Committee on Native American Struggles (CONAS)  
Rethinking Indian Law  
Anti-Repression Task Force  
Faculty Network  
Asia Subcommittee  
Chile Task Force  
Disinformation & Information Restriction  
International Law Subcommittee  
Peace & Disarmament Subcommittee  
Philippines Subcommittee  
Relations - International Organizations  
Central America Refugee Defense Fund (CARDF)  
Movement Support Network  
Rural Justice Committee  
50th Anniversary Committee  
Air War Project  
Attica Legal Defense  
Attica Brothers Offense-Defense  
Attica Memorial Day Rally, Buffalo, N.Y., 9/14/74  
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Committee for Legal Assistance in the South, AKA Committee to  
Aid Southern Lawyers  
Grand Jury Defense Office  
Midnight Special  
Military Legal Center  
National Electronic Surveillance Project  
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**PLANNED DEMONSTRATION AGAINST PRESIDENT NIXON, WEST BRANCH, ICMA, AUGUST 10, 1974**

**IS - REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE**  
(Text of message begins on next page)

**IS - VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLIDARITY ORGANIZATION**

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FROM: OMAHA

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~~DEMONSTRATION AGAINST PRESIDENT NIXON, WEST BRANCH, IOWA,  
AUGUST 13, 1974, 10:00 P.M. IS-RSB; VVAM/WSO~~

ON AUGUST 7, 1974, SOURCES, WHO HAVE FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT THE FOLLOWING WAS A TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES TO BE CONDUCTED ON AUGUST 12, 1974, SPONSORED BY REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE (RSB), IN IOWA CITY, IOWA;

9:00 A.M.

THE RSB MARSHALS AND TACTICAL COMMITTEE WILL MEET IN THE PEOPLE'S INFORMATION CENTER OF CENTER EAST, 104 EAST JEFFERSON, IOWA CITY, IOWA, TO PLAN FINAL TACTICS AND PROCEDURES TO BE USED AT CAPTIONED DEMONSTRATION.

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10:00 A.M.

RALLY AT THE PENTACREST, UNIVERSITY OF IOWA CAMPUS, IOWA CITY, IOWA, IN AN ATTEMPT TO GAIN LOCAL SUPPORT FOR <sup>THE</sup> DEMONSTRATION AT WEST BRANCH, IOWA.

10:30 A.M.

MARCH FROM THE PENTACREST, UNIVERSITY OF IOWA, IOWA CITY, TO CITY PARK, LOCATED ON PARK STREET OFF OF NORTH OUBUQUE STREET, WHERE A SECOND RALLY WILL BE HELD, AGAIN IN HOPES OF GAINING ADDITIONAL SUPPORT AND DEMONSTRATORS FROM IOWA CITY, IOWA.

11:00 A.M.

DEPART CITY PARK, IOWA CITY, IOWA, BY CAR CARAVAN TRAVELING INTERSTATE 80 TO WEST BRANCH, IOWA.

THE FOLLOWING DISRUPTIVE ACTIVITIES WERE BEING CONSIDERED TO BE USED AT CAPTIONED DEMONSTRATION:

1. MASSIVE DEMONSTRATION IN <sup>THE</sup> PARKING LOT INVOLVING SIGNS, BANNERS, SONGS, AND SLOGANS.

2. INFILTRATE <sup>THE</sup> CROWD WITH HIDDEN BANNERS AND SIGNS TO BE DISPLAYED BY DEMONSTRATORS AT <sup>THE</sup> APPROPRIATE TIME.

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3. ATTEMPT TO GET CLOSE TO <sup>THE</sup>SPEAKERS' PLATFORM IN ORDER TO GAIN PUBLIC ATTENTION AND BE VIEWED BY <sup>THE</sup>NEWS MEDIA IN ATTENDANCE AT HERBERT HOOVER ACTIVITIES.

SOURCES ADVISED THAT NO VIOLENCE OR DIRECT CONFRONTATION WAS PLANNED OR ANTICIPATED.

SOURCES ADVISED THAT THE FOLLOWING CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBERS HAVE BEEN LISTED ON LEAFLETS <sup>I</sup>DISTRIBUTED THROUGHOUT THE STATE OF IOWA CONCERNING CAPTIONED DEMONSTRATION FOR INTERESTED INDIVIDUALS WHO WANT TO OBTAIN MORE DETAILS AND INFORMATION CONCERNING THE WEST BRANCH, IOWA, DEMONSTRATION.

IOWA CITY, IOWA - 313 333 3331

AMES, IOWA - 515-292-2875

GRINNELL, IOWA - 515-528-4792

MADISON, WISCONSIN - 608-255-6974

MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN - 414-264-2881

THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS WERE FURNISHED APPROPRIATE INFORMATION CONCERNING ABOVE-CAPTIONED DEMONSTRATION: TOM HENRY, HEAD RANGER, HOOVER MEMORIAL, WEST BRANCH, IOWA;

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CAPTAIN LYLE DICKENSEN (PH), IOWA HIGHWAY PATROL; [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED], DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, IOWA CITY, IOWA;  
WILLIAM BINNEY, CHIEF OF CAMPUS SECURITY, UNIVERSITY OF IOWA,  
IOWA CITY, IOWA; SHERIFF GARY HAUGHES, JOHNSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S  
OFFICE, IOWA CITY, IOWA; [REDACTED] U. S. SECRET SERVICE,  
DES MOINES, IOWA. *WVP*

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2. ~~The following persons are known to frequent the New People's Center:~~

a. ~~KATABAMI Miyoko~~ (STC 2455/3134/6015/1785/0108/1111) - KATABAMI is the New People's Center interpreter and common-law wife of ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~. Her official residence is 1-8 HINODE Cho, YOKOSUKA City. KATABAMI is also the former wife of a Red Army Faction (SEKIGUN-HA) leader, who is presently incarcerated in a Japanese jail, and she is a known associate of the Marxist-Leninist League (M-L DOMEI).

b. ~~ICHIKAWA Yuji~~ (STC 1579/1557/4368/0670) - A member of the Yokosuka Anti-military Citizens' Society, a Japan Peace for Vietnam Committee (BEHEIREN) affiliate.

c. ~~ICHIYANAGI Hiroshi~~ (STC 0001/2692/3152) - A member of Yokosuka BEHEIREN.

d. ~~MITSUMORI Kenji~~ (STC 0005/katakana tso/2773/0256/0059) - A member of Yokosuka BEHEIREN.

e. ~~KOSUGE Tsuguhiro~~ (STC 1420/5465/2945/1736) - A member of Yokosuka BEHEIREN.

f. ~~ITAKURA Hideo~~ (STC 2647/0221/4423/7169) - A Chuo University student.

g. ~~NOGUCHI Hiroshi~~ (STC 0851/0656/3185) - A member of the Revolutionary Marxist League (KAIKYODO: Advance Faction (ZENSHIN-HA), Nucleus Faction (CHUKANU-HA).

h. ~~SUZUKI Shigeki~~ (STC 0875/2606/5399/2885) - A member of KAIKYODO ZENSHIN-HA.

i. ~~MATSUI Yoshio~~ (STC 2646/0064/katakana yo/shi/e) - A member of the Yokosuka District Antiwar Committee, a CHUKANU-HA affiliate.

j. ~~YAKESHITA Kazumi~~ (STC 2476/4258/0735/5019), aka ~~SHIRAI~~ (STC 4101/0054) - A member of the Keihin Anti-Military Action Committee, an affiliate of the 4th International (DAI-YOH INTNA).

k. ~~YAMAHATA Toshio~~ (STC 0005/2625/2404/3948) - A member of the Preparatory Committee for Reconstruction of the Communist League (JOEYO-PA), a splinter group of the Communist League (KOSAKUNO).

l. ~~KATSUO Kenzo~~ (STC 2646/1442/0256/0005) - A member of the National Federation of Anti-Imperialist Student Councils (GENTU GAKUUNYO) and a graduate of Waseda University.

m. ~~OSHIO~~ (SNW 1129/1004) (not further identified) - A member of HANTEI GAKUUNYO.

3. ~~Groups with which Yokosuka David/New People's Center has jointly sponsored propaganda and fundraising activities:~~

a. ~~Japan Communist Party (JCP)~~ - 1 May 72: General meeting for establishment of the Yokosuka Peace Committee (a JCP front organization).

- 10 May 72: Meeting of the Yokosuka Peace Committee.

b. ~~HANTEI GAKUUNYO~~ - 15 Oct 72: Meeting to give support to antiwar US soldiers and to prevent YOKOSUKA from becoming a home port for US aircraft carriers.

c. ~~District Council of Labor Unions~~ - 3 Jul 72: Meeting in protest against port calls by nuclear warships.

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- against port calls by US nuclear warships.
- 10 Aug 72: Meeting in protest
  - 18 Aug 72: Meeting same as above.
  - 19 Sep 72: Meeting to block the shipment of US tanks and to protest port calls by nuclear warships.
  - 5 Oct 72: Meeting same as above.
- d. Yokosuka Antimilitary Citizens' Society - 4 Jan 73: Citizens' (pro-BEHREIN) demonstration against home porting of US aircraft carrier "MIDWAY".
- 7 Jan 73: Citizens' meeting
  - 17 Feb 73: Citizens' rally and demonstration against the home porting of the US aircraft carrier "MIDWAY".
- e. Kanagawa Antiwar Committee - 15 Jan 73: Rally and demonstration against the home porting of the 7th Fleet at YOKOSUKA
- 21 Jan 73: Rally and demonstration against the home porting of US aircraft carriers.

4. X The VVAW New People's Center receives direct support from the VVAW National Headquarters in CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. On or about 10 Mar 73, [redacted] and [redacted] both from the VVAW Headquarters, came to Japan to 'expose' the presence of US nuclear weapons in Japan. Shortly after their arrival, the first VVAW chapter was established in Japan. Further support, in the form of legal aid, is given by the National Lawyers Guild. [redacted] a lawyer from ATLANTA, GEORGIA, and an alleged member of the National Lawyers Guild, provides legal representation to servicemen throughout Japan proper, and has maintained liaison with the New People's Center as his contact in the YOKOSUKA area.

5. X On or about 4 Jun 73 [redacted] was subjected to an eight-hour self-criticism session by the members of the New People's Center, led by [redacted] (a member of VVAW in CHICAGO), and [redacted] (a lawyer with the Asia Military Legal Office, which is affiliated with ZENHEFEN and the National Lawyers Guild). Although the full reason for this self-criticism session is not known, it is believed that [redacted] possibly angered [redacted] and others when his confession was reported in the Chinwa Morning Star, dated 29 Apr 73, following his arrest by US military authorities on 27 Apr 73 for illegal entry into a US military installation on OKINAWA. On 6 Jun 73, [redacted] departed YOKOSUKA and secluded himself in the Jokin (340 3226/4500/7100) Temple, KANIGARASHI, Oaza, HIGASHI HATSUYAMA City (coord unk), SHIMIZU Prefecture, for the purpose of undergoing further Buddhist studies. [redacted] is a Buddhist monk. [redacted] returned to the US on or about 22 Jun 73 and plans to continue his antiwar/antimilitary activities in the SAN FRANCISCO area. [redacted] is scheduled to return to the US in either late Jul or early Aug 73, but his destination is unknown. Their replacements Nancy and Dick (last names unknown) are to be dispatched from the VVAW Headquarters.

## Field Comments:

1. X Success are nation level officials of Japanese government investigative agencies who have furnished usually reliable information in the past.
2. X [redacted] and five other antiwar Americans participated in the Spring Struggles of the All Okinawa Military Employees Labor Union (AMEMMO) held in front of the entrance of the Kokusai High School, Camp Sekiran, OKINAWA, on 27 Apr 73. After persistently protesting against the photo-taking activities conducted by the US military authorities, [redacted] was arrested at about 1830 hours and charged with unauthorized entry into a US military facility and with assaulting a military

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policeman on duty. At 2230 hours, [REDACTED] was turned over to the Japanese authorities at the Futenma Police Station and was released by the Japanese at 2330 hours after acknowledging the above charges.

3. [REDACTED] had attempted to open a VVAW chapter at Yokota Air Base after the PCS "coffee house" folded; however, he was unable to gain the support of the airmen and the operation was dropped. It was at this time that [REDACTED] was called to OKINAWA and [REDACTED] moved to Yokosuka David. [REDACTED], an active member of the VVAW chapter in OKINAWA, came to Yokosuka David at this time, and with [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] changed the establishment from Yokosuka David, which was sponsored by PCS, into the VVAW New People's Center. With the closure of the "Owl" at MISAWA, Japan, the "Come-Unity House" at FUSSA, and Yokosuka David at YOKOSUKA, the only remaining PCS-operated antiwar "coffee house" in Japan proper is the "Hobbit", located at ISAKUNI, Japan. PCS, for all intents and purposes, has relinquished its hold on Japan proper, and the VVAW has expanded there.

4. [REDACTED] PCS had its own corps of roving lawyers who would represent servicemen; however, it should be noted that the lawyers presently utilized by VVAW are affiliated with the National Lawyers Guild, which has been recognized as the legal arm of the Communist Party of the US. The primary activity of the New People's Center is the protesting of the announced fact that the US aircraft carrier "MIDWAY" will be making Yokosuka Navy Base its home port.

5. [REDACTED] In the past, antiwar/antimilitary Japanese activists have given extensive assistance to the antiwar US civilians working in Japan; however, with the withdrawal of US forces from Vietnam, the antiwar Japanese activists' attitudes and priorities have begun to change. Therefore, it will be interesting to note the extent of the support provided to VVAW in the future. Without this support, the success of VVAW in Japan will be in jeopardy. Through its known associations, it appears that VVAW is attempting to gain a firm foundation with the radical groups in Japan, and is not associating solely with the antiwar/antimilitary organizations as PCS mainly did in the past.

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ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO) IS - VVAW/WSO.

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ON OCTOBER 25, 1973, A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS  
FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

A TELEPHONE CALL WAS RECEIVED BY THE [REDACTED] CHAPTER OF  
THE VVAW, [REDACTED], IN THE EARLY MORNING HOURS OF  
OCTOBER 25, 1973, FROM AN INDIVIDUAL ADVISING HE WAS CALLING  
FROM THE VVAW GI COUNSELING SERVICE, NATIONAL OFFICE SERVICE-  
PEOPLES COUNSELING AND MATERIALS (NOSCAM). [REDACTED] WAS ADVISED  
THAT THE U.S. MILITARY, ON A WORLDWIDE BASIS, HAD BEEN PLACED  
ON ALERT BY THE PRESIDENT AND NOSCAM IS CONTACTING ALL VVAW/WSO  
REGIONS IN THE U. S.

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THE VVAW<sup>/wso</sup> IS A NATIONAL ORGANIZATION COMPOSED PRIMARILY OF VETERANS OF THE WAR IN VIETNAM, THAT HAS ORGANIZED AND PARTICIPATED IN NUMEROUS DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE WAR IN VIETNAM DURING 1970-72, INCLUDING THE SEIZURE OF THE STATUE OF LIBERTY, NEW YORK CITY, AND THE OCCUPATION OF THE BETSY ROSS HOUSE, PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, IN DECEMBER, 1971. SIX MEMBERS<sup>/wso</sup> OF THE VVAW WERE INDICTED BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY, TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA, JULY, 1972, ON CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY TO VIOLATE THE FEDERAL ANTI-RIOT LAW.

[REDACTED] WAS REQUESTED TO EXPEDITIOUSLY b7D  
CONTACT ALL CHAPTER OFFICES WITHIN [REDACTED] REGION.  
EACH CHAPTER OFFICE WAS IN TURN TO CONTACT VVAW<sup>/wso</sup> MEMBERS STATIONED ON MILITARY BASES WITHIN [REDACTED] REGION TO OBTAIN ALL AVAILABLE INFORMATION ON MOVEMENTS ON TROOPS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES AT THE BASES WHICH WILL TEND TO SHOW THE ORDERS RECEIVED BY THOSE BASES. THIS INFORMATION SHOULD THEN BE FUNNELED BACK THROUGH THE REGIONAL OFFICE AND TO NOSCAM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT INFORMATION HAD ALREADY BEEN b7D  
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BASE PLANES HAD BEEN LEAVING SINCE APPROXIMATELY 3 A.M.

INFORMATION WAS NOT FURNISHED TO [REDACTED] VVAW<sup>W50</sup> AS TO WHAT USE WOULD BE MADE OF THE INFORMATION ON THE MILITARY MOVEMENTS NATIONWIDE AFTER BEING RECEIVED BY NOSCAM. b7D

[REDACTED] REGION CONTACT WAS MADE BY THE [REDACTED] REGIONAL OFFICE WITH THE [REDACTED] CHAPTERS FOR CONTACT WITH ANY VVAW<sup>W50</sup> MEMBERS LOCATED ON BASES IN THOSE AREAS.

SOURCE STATED IT APPEARS A LARGE-SCALE NETWORK HAS BEEN SET UP USING VVAW<sup>W50</sup> MEMBERS WITHIN THE MILITARY SYSTEM TO FURNISH INFORMATION ON A NATIONWIDE BASIS TO VVAW<sup>W50</sup>. [REDACTED] VVAW<sup>W50</sup> OFFICE WAS FURNISHED TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] TO CALL TO PASS ON ALL INFORMATION OBTAINED IN THE [REDACTED] REGION.

COPIES OF THIS COMMUNICATION BEING DISSEMINATED TO OSI, [REDACTED]; NIS, [REDACTED]; AND MI, [REDACTED].

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1:50 PM NITEL 10/28/73 TJL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: MILWAUKEE (100-21561) (P)

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WISCONSIN AMNESTY PROJECT SPONSORED BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION, MADISON, WISCONSIN,  
10/26-28/73. OO: MILWAUKEE.

RE MINITEL TO BUREAU 10/27 LAST.

ON 10/27/73 [REDACTED] ADVISED HE ATTENDED "FREE KARLETON  
ARMSTRONG RALLY" AT UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN - MADISON (UW) MA-  
DISON, WISCONSIN, LIBRARY MALL AND MARCHED TO DANE CO. JAIL WHERE  
ARMSTRONG INCARCERATED. PARTICIPANTS NUMBERED LESS THEN 100 AND  
ACTIVITY LASTED FROM APPROXIMATELY 1:00PM TO 2:30PM. RALLY AND  
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ARMSTRONG DEFENCE COMMITTEE AND VVAW/WSO.  
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ON 10/28/73 [REDACTED] ADVISED HE ATTENDED PM WORKSHOP SESSION OF CAPTIONED CONFERENCE AT EDGEWOOD COLLEGE MADISON, WISCONSIN 10/27/73 WHICH ENDED 5:30PM. GENERAL COMMENTS AND QUASI RELIGIOUS CEREMONY TOOK PLACE FROM 6:00PM TO 9:00PM AT WHICH TIME CONFERENCE CONCLUDED. PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF 10/28/73 INSTANT CANCELED AS NO ONE INTERESTED. NO MENTION MADE AS TO ACTION TO BE TAKEN FOR UNCONDITIONAL AMNESTY.

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INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 10/25/73

Attached reports apparent large-scale effort which has just been launched by Vietnam Veterans Against the War/Winter Soldier Organization (VVAW/WSO) on nationwide basis to determine possible movement of American forces which have been alerted in the U. S. and throughout the world within the past 24 hours. Although the purpose of the military alert has not been announced and the reason for the VVAW/WSO effort is as yet unknown, the entire operation is reminiscent of the VVAW/WSO operation during 4/72 during which a canvass of VVAW/WSO members, some in active military service, developed information indicating U. S. would bomb Hanoi and Haiphong. This information was disseminated by VVAW/WSO prior to the actual bombing and could have seriously jeopardized U. S. military operations and lives of servicemen.

Information in attached being disseminated by teletype to the President, Secretary of State, Director of CIA, Director of Defense Intelligence Agency, Secret Service, Army, Navy, Air Force, NSA, Attorney General and Deputy Attorney General by messenger and Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division and Internal Security Section.

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TO

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 10/16/73

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DATE: 10/31/73

FROM : SAC, NEW ORLEANS (100-19044) (P)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
(OO: CHICAGO)

ReBulet to Albany 10/4/73, and Bulet to New Orleans  
10/15/73.

In response to the second relet, a review was  
conducted of the captioned case in New Orleans.

As confirmed by FBI and local law enforcement, and  
campus informants/sources, VVAW has been dormant as a visible  
activity in Louisiana since March, 1973, when four persons  
used the VVAW label when attending a demonstration in support  
of Indians at Wounded Knee. One source characterized the  
group at that time as being not well based in current revolu-  
tionary political issues, not well organized, and the former  
members' interest being elsewhere. No VVAW label has been  
seen on campus since that time, even during the fall, 1973,  
semester registration, when many old groups set out tables  
and sign-up sheets. Even during the summer, 1973, ongoing  
issues of, and support for, the Gainesville Eight trial, no  
attempt was made by any local activists or sympathizers,  
including [REDACTED] Louisiana coordinator, to travel or  
urge others to travel to Gainesville, Fla., for that trial.

On [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] the Louisiana VVAW was not active because of the large  
number of informants believed to be members.

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WISCONSIN AMNESTY PROJECT SPONSORED BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION, MADISON, WISCONSIN,  
10/26-28/73. OO: MILWAUKEE.

RE MILWAUKEE TEL TO BUREAU, 10/25/73.

b2 b7D ON 10/27/73, [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT OPENING SESSION OF  
CAPTIONED CONFERENCE HELD EDGEWOOD COLLEGE, MADISON, WISCONSIN,  
10/26/73, 5:30 PM TO APPROXIMATELY 8:00 PM, ATTENDED BY  
APPROXIMATELY 100 INDIVIDUALS. OPENING ADDRESS GIVEN BY  
MADISON MAYOR PAUL SOGLIN, OTHER SPEECHES GIVEN BY UNIVERSITY  
PROFESSORS FROM OUTSIDE STATE. WORKSHOPS DEALING WITH AMNESTY  
QUESTIONS AND ORGANIZATIONS SCHEDULED FOR AM, 10/27 INSTANT,  
AND TO BE REPEATED PM, 10/27. SCHEDULE, 10/28/73, CALLS FOR  
DEVELOPING AMNESTY STRATEGY WITHIN THE STATE.

CONFERENCE ORDERLY AND NO MENTION OF DISORDER OR VIOLENCE.

MILWAUKEE FOLLOWING.

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NO IT IS AND TO BE REPEATED.... GR.

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FROM BUFFALO (100-21623) 3P

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DEMONSTRATION SPONSORED BY ~~XX~~ COMMITTEE FOR THE REMOVAL OF THE  
PRESIDENT, BUFFALO, NY, 12/26/73; IS ~~Q~~ UUAAM.

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ON 12/25/73, A BUFFALO POLICE SOURCE ADVISED THAT A PERMIT HAD  
BEEN GRANTED TO COMMITTEE FOR THE REMOVAL OF THE PRESIDENT (CFRP)  
FOR A PARADE IN DOWNTOWN BUFFALO, NY, TO BE HELD ON 12/26/73.

ON 12/26/73, APPROX. 200 PERSONS ASSEMBLED AT CATHEDRAL SQUARE,  
BUFFALO, NY, UNDER THE NAME CFRP. PARTICIPANTS BEGAN ASSEMBLING AT  
12:00 NOON AND AFTER BRIEF SPEECHES BEGAN MARCHING THROUGH DOWNTOWN  
BUFFALO AT APPROX. 12:45 PM. MARCHERS CONTINUED THROUGH DOWNTOWN  
BUFFALO STREETS TO THE U.S. FEDERAL COURT HOUSE BLDG., 68 COURT ST.,  
BUFFALO, NY, WHERE THEY DISPERSED AT APPROX. 1:30 PM.

MARCHERS SHOUTED SLOGANS DEMANDING IMPEACHMENT OF PRESIDENT  
RICHARD M. NIXON.

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LEAFLETS DISTRIBUTED BY DEMONSTRATORS DEMANDED THAT PRESIDENT  
NIXON RESIGN OR BE IMPEACHED FOR ALLEGED CRIMES AGAINST THE PEOPLE  
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OF THE U.S. AND THE WORLD.

ON 10/25/73, A PREVIOUSLY RELIABLE SOURCE ADVISED CFRP IS AN ADHOC COMMITTEE COMPRISED OF A NUMBER OF ORGANIZATIONS IN THE BUFFALO, NY AREA FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEMANDING IMPEACHMENT OF THE PRESIDENT. SOURCE ADVISED THAT AMONG THESE ORGANIZATIONS WERE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAV) ~~SHOULD. UNITY. INDEPENDENCE. LIBERTY AND DIGNITY. (BUILDED) / A LOCAL CIVIL RIGHTS ORGANIZATION; THE PRISONERS SOLIDARITY COMMITTEE (PSC).~~ *Buffalo, N.Y.*

VVAV IS A NATIONAL ORGANIZATION COMPOSED PRIMARILY OF VETERANS OF THE WAR IN VIETNAM, THAT HAS ORGANIZED AND PARTICIPATED IN NUMEROUS DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE WAR IN VIETNAM DURING 1973-1972, INCLUDING THE SEIZURE OF THE STATUE OF LIBERTY, NYC, AND THE OCCUPATION OF THE BETSY ROSS HOUSE, PHIALDELPHIA, PA., IN DEC. 1971. SIX MEMBERS OF VVAV WERE INDICTED BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY, TALLAHASSEE, FLA., JULY 1972, ON CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY TO VIOLATE THE FEDERAL ANTI-RIOT LAW.

PSC IS A COMMITTEE FOR SUPPORT OF SO-CALLED POLITICAL PRISONERS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF WORKERS WORLD PARTY (WWP).

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WMP WAS FORMED BY DISSIDENTS WHO DISAGREED WITH POLICIES OF SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY (SWP). WMP ADVOCATES SUPPORT OF SOVIET UNION IN BUILDING OF A REVOLUTIONARY PARTY GEARED TO OVERTHROW OF CAPITALISM. WMP SUPPORTS BOTH CHINA AND THE SOVIET UNION.

SWP HAS BEEN DESIGNATED PURSUANT TO EXECUTIVE ORDER 12462.

NO ARRESTS OR INCIDENTS NOTED.

ADMINISTRATIVE

POLICE SOURCE UTILIZED IS [REDACTED], SPECIAL SERVICES SQUAD, BUFFALO, NY PD.

SOURCE FURNISHING INFO REGARDING CCRP IS [REDACTED]

LOCAL POLICE AGENCIES COGNIZANT.

US SECRET SERVICE, FEDERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION AND US ATTORNEY ADVISED.

NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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7:45 PM 10/30/73 NITEL JAW

TO: DIRECTOR (ATTN:INTD)

MILWAUKEE (100-21561)

FROM: [REDACTED]

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WISCONSIN AMNESTY PROJECT SPONSORED BY VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO), MADISON, WISCONSIN,  
10/26-28/73; IS - VVAW.

A SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST,  
ADVISED ON 10/29/73, THAT AN AMNESTY CONFERENCE SPONSORED BY THE  
VVAW TOOK PLACE AT EGEWATER COLLEGE, MADISON, WISCONSIN,  
10/26/73 THROUGH 10/28/73, AND APPROXIMATELY 45 INDIVIDUALS WERE  
IN ATTENDANCE. SOURCE FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION  
REGARDING THE CONFERENCE:

VVAW WAS FOUNDED IN THE SPRING, 1967, BY YOUR  
VIETNAM VETERANS IN NEW YORK CITY. VVAW MEMBERS  
HAVE LED PUBLIC DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE WAR  
IN VIETNAM.

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1-cc to SS by FD-306  
2-cc to GOS (ISS, EGS) by C-6  
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AN EVENING SESSION WAS HELD 7:30 P.M., 10/26/73, AND PAUL  
X SOGLIN, MAYOR OF MADISON, WISCONSIN, WAS ONE OF THE SPEAKERS.  
SOGLIN BELIEVES THE WISCONSIN AMNESTY CONFERENCE IS THE FIRST  
REAL STEP TOWARD AMNESTY.

ANOTHER SPEAKER, BILL X YOLTON, A HARVARD PROFESSOR, ADVISED  
AMNESTY WAS GIVEN IN ALL U.S. WARS SINCE THE CIVIL WAR. *WISC.*  
YOLTON SAID THE U.S. GOVERNMENT IS UNFAIR, AGNEW HAS RECEIVED  
AMNESTY BUT THE AVERAGE PERSON HAS NO CHANCE WITH THE PRESENT  
SETUP. YOLTON ADVISED THE SMALL GROUP OF PEOPLE  
WHO MAKE UP THE GOVERNMENT DO NOT REALLY REPRESENT THE PEOPLE  
AND THE POLITICIANS DO NOT REALLY KNOW WHAT THE PEOPLE WANT.  
YOLTON ADVISED IT IS MORE IMPORTANT TO SAVE THOSE WHO RESISTED  
AND REFUSED TO COMMIT A CRIME THAN TO PLACE GLORY ON THOSE WHO  
COMMITTED A CRIME. YOLTON SAID WE MUST WIPE AWAY ALL LAWS THAT  
CONDEMN AMNESTY, WHICH IS A FORM OF JUSTICE.

JIM X DOUGLAS, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF RELIGION, UNIVERSITY OF Hawaii  
HAWAII, WAS A SPEAKER ON FRIDAY NIGHT AND SAID THERE IS A GREAT WISC.  
NEED TO RESIST A CRIMINAL GOVERNMENT NOW THROUGH AMNESTY ITSELF.  
NIXON IS AN ABSOLUTE CRIMINAL AND A GOOD STEP IN OVERCOMING THE  
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CRIMINAL GOVERNMENT IS FOR WAR RESISTORS OF ALL TYPES TO HAVE A STRONG VOICE IN THE GOVERNMENT.

THERE WERE SEVERAL WORKSHOPS ON 10/27/73, ONE BEING ENTITLED RESISTANCE ORGANIZATION, WHICH WAS COORINATED BY JIM DOUGLAS. DOUGLAS SAID WE ARE PLAYING THEIR GAME BY GETTING ARRESTED AND PERHAPS IT IS WISE TO STAY UNDERGROUND AT LEAST UNTIL ENOUGH CHANGES ARE MAOE.

10/27/73

ANOTHER INDIVIDUAL IN THE RESISTORS WORKSHOP, [REDACTED] JEWISH, AGE 19, HOME DETROIT, MICHIGAN, 5'5" [REDACTED] LBS., DARK HAIR, WORE LARGE GLASSES AND A STUOENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, SAID RESISTORS WHOULO NOT HAVE TO BE FORGIVEN AS THE GDVERNMENT IS THE REAL CRIMINAL. [REDACTED] SAID THEY SHOULD HAVE TRIALS LIKE NUREMBERG TO BRING NIXON AND HIS SUPPORTERS TD JUSTICE. [REDACTED] WAS LATER OVERHEARD SAYING THAT NIXON IS A BIGGER CRIMINAL THAN HITLER, AND SHE WOULD DEFINITELY KILL NIXDN IF THE OPPORTUNITY EVER AROSE AS SHE WOULD BE DOING THE WORLD A GOOD DEED.

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ADMINISTRATIVE: RE MILWAUKEE TELETYPE TO BUREAU, 10/19/73.

SOURCE IS [REDACTED]

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MILWAUKEE AT MAOISON, WIS., MAKE KNOWN THE ABOVE THREAT TO SECRET SERVICE AND FURNISH BACKGROUND IF NOT ALREADY SUBMITTED.  
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[REDACTED] WILL SUBMIT FD 306.

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b7C This paranoia and prebale disrepute of the Louisiana VVAW surely was confirmed when CHARLES HENRY BECKER III testified during the Gainesville Eight trial. Though [REDACTED] net actually testify, it was noted that the defense requested discovery information [REDACTED] background, indicating they believed [REDACTED] testify as an undercover Agent. BECKER [REDACTED] well known to national VVAW as former Louisiana coordinators or leaders.

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b7D This disenchantment with Louisiana VVAW appears to have generalized to include the current local coordinator: [REDACTED] advised on 8/24/73 that [REDACTED], VVAW figure [REDACTED] aid after his return from the Gainesville Eight trial that the whole VVAW appeared to be infiltrated with FBI Agents, and that among others, the current leader of [REDACTED] VVAW is thought to be with the FBI.

The following is in response to specific points in the second relet:

Marxist-Leninist Orientation. The Marxist-Leninist political outlook is being adopted by several other local groups and miscellaneous ex-members of older SDS-type groups. Such Marxist-Leninist orientation has also taken the form of study groups sponsored by several individual and sometimes combined groups. Though in the past VVAW had joined other local groups in activities of mutual interest, to date VVAW, or ex-VVAW members, have not been noted participating in or being attracted to these activities.

Cooperation with Soviet/Foreign Revolutionary Representatives. No VVAW individual currently in New Orleans has been known to have any international or foreign contacts of any type.

Infiltration of FBI/CIA/Military. During the investigation preliminary to the Gainesville Eight trial, New Orleans FBI conducted interviews with all known VVAW members and associates of Gainesville Eight defendant PETE MAHONEY; thus it would seem

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likely that VVAW members would realize that they would be well known by local FBI. See New Orleans LHM dated 8/25/73 in this case, which indicated that [REDACTED] was being addressed with VVAW membership forms of active duty servicemen. This aspect of local VVAW activities merits the most attention of New Orleans FBI, at this time. New Orleans surmises that [REDACTED] individual status and function as VVAW contact for the state of Louisiana, and his likely responsibility of corresponding with other out-of-state groups and individuals, is in effect the only activity which rates the VVAW label.

Louisiana Coordinator. [REDACTED] is the subject of case entitled [REDACTED] SM - VVAW," Bufile 100-476740. NOreps of 4/27/73 and 5/20/73 have closed that case with no ADEX recommendation, lacking propensity to violence. He did attend, alone, the VVAW steering committee meeting in [REDACTED], on [REDACTED] but was not an active participant. [REDACTED] military record showed that he served almost three years as an enlisted man, being honorably discharged for school release in June, 1971. His military occupational specialty was [REDACTED], which was equivalent to the civilian skill of [REDACTED]. His terminal date of reserve obligation is [REDACTED]. There is no indication anywhere in his service record that he was granted any security clearance or had any access to classified material.

All other known Louisiana VVAW advocates have also been subjects of New Orleans files and have been or are being evaluated toward ADEX consideration.

Informant Coverage.

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[REDACTED] He is knowledgeable regarding overt activities and intentions of VVAW, including recruiting, participation in demonstrations and public issues, and interest in study groups.

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[REDACTED] is also knowledgeable of VVAW exposure and [REDACTED] the LSUNO campus, the only public area frequented by the group.

Campus sources and local law enforcement agencies continue to be alert to VVAW activities in their areas.

[REDACTED] and [REDACTED] have noted VVAW participation in activities, demonstrations, and issues common to the general New Left community.

Since VVAW is currently not a member organization, future infiltration efforts will include: 1) Contacts with [REDACTED] personally; 2) Being alert for interest in joining, or recruiting from or through, other local Marxist-Leninist groups/study groups; 3) Contact with sources on military bases.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

FROM: *BAM* SAC, MOBILE (100-2408) (RUC)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
(VVAW/WSO)  
(OO: CG)

DATE: 10/30/73

*b2 b7D* Re Chicago FD-306 dated 10/11/73, setting forth information from [REDACTED] re VVAW/WSO Chapter and Region list as of 9/8/73.

[REDACTED] list under Alabama-Mississippi-Tennessee is [REDACTED] Auburn, Alabama, State Coordinator. Also included on this list is the name [REDACTED] Street, Auburn, Alabama, no officer designation.

*b7C* [REDACTED] is [REDACTED] a former student at Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama. Mobile does not have any current investigation being conducted re [REDACTED] and investigation has indicated that the Auburn University chapter of VVAW had not met since late 1972. [REDACTED] indicated that he had no interest in VVAW because of lack of support by members.

*b7C* [REDACTED] is [REDACTED] an attorney, and former student at Auburn University. No current investigation concerning [REDACTED] is being made and no information concerning him has indicated any extremist activity.

*b2 b7D* The VVAW chapter at Auburn University is the only VVAW group within the Mobile Division which had engaged in any activity. It is noted that on 6/15/73, an established source at Auburn University reported that the VVAW had not been active and had held no meetings within the past six months. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] had reported that the Auburn University chapter of the VVAW had been a very disorganized group and had not met

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regularly, in fact had not met at all since November, 1972.

As information developed does not indicate any VVAW chapter active in this division, this file is considered RUC.

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SAC, Indianapolis (70-2136)

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Director, FBI (100-448092)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
IS - VVAW/WSO  
(Indianapolis Division)

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ReBulet dated 10/4/73, captioned as above.

Referenced letter pointed out, among other things, the Marxist-Leninist orientation of VVAW/WSO leaders, their apparent willingness to cooperate with Soviet-bloc representatives and other foreign revolutionary groups and individuals, and their plans to infiltrate the FBI, Central Intelligence Agency and the military. The letter was intended to be informative as to the current situation within the VVAW/WSO but during its preparation the need for numerous offices to examine their coverage became apparent. In one instance, for example, an office with no member informants recently RUC'd its case to Chicago, commenting there was no information available concerning the VVAW/WSO. A review of files at FBIHQ, however, disclosed there were active chapters within the territory of this office which apparently had not been investigated.

As noted in referenced letter, the responsibility for effective investigation of the VVAW/WSO, including the development of member informants, lies with each individual field office. Accordingly, you should thoroughly review your files concerning captioned group to determine the adequacy of your coverage bearing in mind the import of the information in referenced communication. For your additional information in this regard, lists of VVAW/WSO regions and chapters and individuals connected therewith dated 9/8/73 and 4/5/73 disclose the following located within your division. Entries on the 4/5/73 list are identified with an asterisk.

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VVAW/WSO

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Indianapolis, Indiana 46227

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Letter to SAC, Indianapolis  
Re: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
100-448092

[REDACTED] Street  
[REDACTED] [REDACTED], Indiana 46750

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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Ft. Wayne, Indiana 46803  
(419) 743-[REDACTED]

You should conduct appropriate preliminary inquiries to identify the individuals listed above and to determine the extent of their VVAW/WSO activity. You should also conduct sufficient inquiry to identify other VVAW/WSO members who participated in this activity at the locations noted. Be guided by Bureau letter dated 6/2/73 which gives guidance as to the scope of investigations to be conducted in VVAW/WSO matters. National, regional and local coordinators and individuals who attend the National Steering Committee meetings should be of sufficient interest to warrant complete investigation in view of their role in shaping the policies and international contacts of the VVAW/WSO. Depending on individual circumstances, these investigations should resolve their veteran status, determine if they had intelligence or other specialized training while in the service, establish their reserve status if any and, if so, whether they have access to classified information. Reports should be submitted accompanied by appropriate ADEX recommendation.

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With regard to informant coverage and development, a compilation of data available as of September, 1973, shows [REDACTED] office [REDACTED] to furnish information concerning the VVAW/WSO [REDACTED] affiliation with other subversive groups. Considering the Marxist-Leninist revolutionary posture of VVAW/WSO leaders and increasing cooperation with revolutionary groups, it is felt this coverage can be improved upon. Any plans to develop informants in the VVAW/WSO must take into consideration the fact that following the indictment of the eight VVAW/WSO activists in Florida last year, a purge within the ranks of the VVAW/WSO took place and many individuals were expelled because they were thought to be informants. During the trial the defense spent a great deal of time questioning informants who testified as to how they were developed and handled.

Letter to SAC, Indianapolis  
Re: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
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There should be no doubt the VVAW/WSO leadership is carefully analyzing this information to discover means to detect informants. You should be sure any informant directed against the VVAW/WSO has a cover story which will stand close scrutiny. It would also be desirable to review this situation with existing informants in order to make sure their cover stories are air tight.

Within 30 days from the receipt of this letter, you should advise the Bureau of the results of your review, the current status of the VVAW/WSO within your division, informant coverage including member informants specifically identified and steps you intend to take to develop member informants in order that you may be apprised on a timely basis of pertinent activity.

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Date: 10/19/73

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL  
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)  
FROM: SAC, [REDACTED] (P) b7D  
SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER  
ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO)  
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Enclosed for the Bureau, St. Louis, and Chicago  
is one copy each of the minutes of the National Steering  
Committee meeting, St. Louis, Missouri, 8/23-27/73, furnished  
on 10/12/73, by [REDACTED] b2 b7D

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FROM JACKSONVILLE (157-2774) (P)

AFRICIAN PEOPLE SOCIALISTS PARTY (APSP); DEMONSTRATION PROTESTING  
CONDITIONS OF FLORIDA STATE PRISON, STARKE, FLORIDA, EXTREMIST  
MATTER - APSP; CIVIL UNREST.

A WELL PLACED SOURCE ADVISED THAT ON 10/27/73 A PROTEST MARCH AND  
RALLY WAS STAGED FROM GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA TO STARKE, FLORIDA, LOCA-  
TION OF FLORIDA STATE PRISON BY THE AFRICIAN PEOPLE SOCIALISTS PARTY,  
THE MALCOM X UNITED LIBERATION FRONT AND THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR/ WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO). THE PROTEST WAS  
IN SUPPORT OF THE " GARMENT FACTORY 14 ".

THE VVAW/WSO IS AN ANTI-WAR ORGANIZATION ORGANIZED IN 1967 AND  
HEADQUARTERED IN NEW YORK CITY. ITS PUBLISHED OBJECTIVE IS TO "TO  
DEMAND AN IMMEDIATE CESSATION OF FIGHTING AND THE WITHDRAWAL OF ALL  
AMERICAN TROOPS FROM INDOCHINA". VVAW HAS PARTICIPATED IN SEVERAL  
DEMONSTRATIONS, INCLUDING MASSIVE DEMONSTRATION IN WASHINGTON, D.C.  
APRIL 19-23, 1971.

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THE APSP WAS FORMED IN MAY, 1972, IN ST. PETERSBURG, BY THE MEMBERS OF THE JUNTA OF MILITANT ORGANIZATIONS (JOMO). THE APSP WAS FORMED TO ASSIST JOSEPH WALLER, THE CHAIRMAN OF JOMO, IN HIS UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT TO BE ELECTED MAYOR OF ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA. THE APSP LITERATURE STATES THAT THE AIMS OF THE APSP ARE TO ASSIST BLACKS IN BREAKING THE BONOS OF SLAVERY AND PLACING THE DESTINY OF BLACKS FIRMLY IN BLACK HANDS. THE APSP IS A BLACK POLITICAL ORGANIZATION AND MAINTAINS ITS HEADQUARTERS AT 1510 15TH STREET SOUTH, ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA.

JOMO WAS INCORPORATED IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA IN JANUARY, 1971. JOMO WAS FOUNDED IN ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA, IN MAY, 1968. ACCORDING TO JOMO LITERATURE, THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IS A COLONIAL POWER WHERE AFRICIAN PEOPLE HAVE NO RESPONSIBILITY TO PERPETUATE, SUSTAIN, OR PROTECT THE UNITED STATES AND IT IS THE DUTY OF ALL AFRICIAN PEOPLE TO ARM THEMSELVES TO PROTECT THEIR FAMILIES AGAINST THE RACIST WHITE-POWER STRUCTURE.

THE GARMENT FACTORY 14 IS A GROUP OF PRISONERS WHO WERE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR A DISTURBANCE IN 1973 AT THE FLORIDA STATE PRISON, RAIFORD, FLORIDA, DURING WHICH TIME EXTENSIVE DAMAGE OCCURRED TO THE GARMENT FACTORY AT THE FLORIDA STATE PRISON, AS WELL AS NUMEROUS

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INJURIES TO BOTH PRISONERS AND GUARDS AT THE PRISON.

MALCOLM X UNITED LIBERATION FRONT (MXULF) IS A BLACK ACTIVIST ORGANIZATION WHICH WAS ORGANIZED IN THE FALL OF 1969 TO UNIFY THE NEGROES IN TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA. THE ORGANIZATION ADOPTED THE MOTTO, "LIBERATION BY ANY MEANS NECESSARY".

APPROXIMATELY SEVENTY PERSONS BEGAN THE MARCH AT 8:00AM IN GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA. ABOUT ONE HUNDRED PERSONS WERE IN THE GROUP WHEN IT ARRIVED AT ITS DESTINATION, AN ABANDONED SCHOOL BUILDING IN STARKE, FLORIDA AT 7:00PM.

A BRIEF RALLY WAS HELD WITH CONNIE TUCKER, WESTLEY OGAN, AND JOSEPH WALLER ADDRESSING THE DEMONSTRATORS. THE RALLY LASTED ABOUT ONE HOUR FOLLOWING WHICH THE DEMONSTRATORS ATZ AND DEPARTED FOR GAINESVILLE.

THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS CONNECTED WITH THIS ACTIVITY.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

WELL PLACED SOURCE IS [REDACTED] FLORIDA DEPT. OF LAW ENFORCEMENT.  
RE JACKSONVILLE TELETYPE 10/25/73.

LHM TO FOLLOW.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

FROM : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (100-6041) (P)

DATE: 10/31/73

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
IS - VVAW/WSO  
(BIRMINGHAM DIVISION)

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DATE 5/2/95 BY 2865 JAL

Re Bureau letter, 10/16/73, and report of  
SA [REDACTED] dated 10/12/73 at St. Louis.

Enclosed is one copy of re Bureau letter,  
dated 10/16/73, to Mobile.

In answer to re Bureau letter, the following  
is being set forth:

VVAW/WSO Regional Office, whose location  
is shown as 1317 14th Avenue, Tuscaloosa, Ala.,  
is the residence of [REDACTED] (BH 100-6069,  
Bufile 100-471824).

Pertinent background information has been  
furnished to the Bureau concerning [REDACTED], and this  
case was placed in a closed status by Birmingham  
airtel and LHM dated 2/2/73.

[REDACTED] Street, Auburn,  
Ala., is shown to be a State Coordinator, and  
[REDACTED] Street, Auburn, Ala., are  
both covered by the Mobile Division.

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  - 1 - Chicago (100-50772) (Info)
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[REDACTED] 16th Street East, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, was subject of Birmingham file 100-6233, Bufile 100-472913. This case was placed in a closed status by virtue of Bureau letter dated 1/19/73.

Alf | [REDACTED], who is shown to be a State Coordinator, is subject of BH file 100-5830, and [REDACTED] is subject of BH file 100-6139. The Bureau will be advised by separate communication as to the full identity and extent of VVAW/WSO activities.

Cases concerning [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] have been reopened, and pertinent recommendations concerning further investigation will be submitted to the Bureau by separate communication.

It is noted that in re St. Louis report, which concerns the National Steering Committee meeting held at St. Louis, Mo., in August of this year, that the report concerning the Alabama-Mississippi-Tennessee region was to the effect that this region is not too active.

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Although Birmingham has no member informants in captioned organization, fringe coverage is being provided by [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. Contact with these sources and other sources of information at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, have indicated that the VVAW group is very inactive and is holding no regular type meetings. The membership is estimated to be approximately 8 to 9 individuals. Steps will be taken to develop a member informant in this group in order that full coverage can be given.

BH 100-6041

b7c Birmingham is preparing a current report concerning captioned group which will outline the activities of this group within the Birmingham Division. As noted previously, separate communication will be furnished concerning [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. Action concerning [REDACTED] being left to the discretion of the Mobile Division.

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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 10/31/73

FROM : LEGAT, TOKYO

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TOKfile (105-5874) P

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For information of recipients, during the past year dissident activity among Americans in Japan has centered in three principal organizations, Pacific Counseling Service (PCS), Vietnam Veterans Against the War/Winter Soldier Organization (VVAW/WSO) and National Lawyers Guild (NLG). These 3 U.S. based organizations all have full time civilian activities in Japan to further their avowed goal of disrupting U.S. military functions primarily by subverting U.S. military personnel and discrediting the U.S. Government both at home and abroad.

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PCS, VVAW and NLG operate here much like a can of worms-they share office and living space, have joint meetings, and work together on publications. It is not difficult to separate the activities by organization.

They presently operate 5 centers - New Peoples Center at Yokosuka, Peoples House, United Front, and Women's House on Okinawa, and Semper Fi House at Iwakuni, all near concentrations of U.S. military facilities. BEHEIREN (The Japan Peace for Vietnam Committee) has worked with PCS, VVAW and NLG in Japan as have other Japanese radical organizations from time to time.

PCS, VVAW and NLG distribute Black Panther Party and Marxist literature as well as a wide variety of publications by U.S. radical and extremist groups condemning "U.S. imperialism" and designed to undermine military morale.

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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 11/1/73

SAC, [REDACTED] (E) **b7D**

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION  
IS - VVAW/WSO

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Re Bulet 10/4/73, and Bulet 10/16/73.

As the Bureau is well aware, the Arkansas-Oklahoma Region of VVAW has aligned itself with the Southern Illinois/Eastern Missouri Region as of April, 1973, after a proposal of annexation was passed at the National Steering Committee meeting at Placitas, New Mexico, 4/19-23/73.

Investigation by the [REDACTED] Division has revealed that since the exposure of [REDACTED] as a Bureau informant in [REDACTED] there has not been a functioning VVAW chapter [REDACTED]. A number of the former members have left [REDACTED] have disassociated themselves from VVAW. Contact with security informants and former members has confirmed the fact there is no VVAW chapter in [REDACTED] comments by VVAW activists published in local newspapers blame the FBI for the fracture and disintegration of the VVAW chapter at [REDACTED]. **b7C**

Regarding the listing of the name [REDACTED] in re Bulet of 10/16/73, the following is set forth:

[REDACTED] in the subject of Bufile [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] Investigation of [REDACTED] in 1970 and has been thoroughly reported to the Bureau [REDACTED] reports of SA [REDACTED]. **b7C**  
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dated 4/22/71; SA [REDACTED] dated 4/21/72, 9/21/72, 3/7/73; and [REDACTED] report of SA [REDACTED] dated 3/30/72. In addition, [REDACTED] activities have been reported to the Bureau in the VVAW file, Bufile 100-448092, and the informant file of [REDACTED] Bufile [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] carried on ADEX due to the fact that he is [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] the subject of continuing intensive investigation, however, he is currently enrolled at the [REDACTED] fulltime student and is devoting much of his time to [REDACTED] studies.

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The Bureau is well aware that the [REDACTED] Office and the case Agent, in particular, have never sidestepped the issue of VVAW and were among the first to recognize the potential for revolutionary activities within VVAW. [REDACTED] has been completely candid with the Bureau regarding VVAW and [REDACTED] informant coverage of [REDACTED] chapter and has never veered from this course even during the publicity and furor resulting from the exposure [REDACTED] informant.

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Due to this publicity, [REDACTED] due to his fear that the disruption and turmoil surrounding [REDACTED] would effect him as well.

Interviews with former VVAW members and sympathizers revealed there is no VVAW chapter in [REDACTED] and that they have little potential for development as informants.

[REDACTED] has no member informants at this time and does not anticipate development of any VVAW members as informants since [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] covers [REDACTED] chapter at [REDACTED] through [REDACTED] who is able to furnish limited information on VVAW and other revolutionary groups through his affiliation [REDACTED] members. This source is in a position to advise the case Agent of pertinent VVAW activities on a timely basis.

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TO DIRECTOR (ATTN: INTO)

FROM CINCINNATI (100-21495) (C) (2P)

PROPOSED "IMPEACH NIXON" RALLY, STATEHOUSE, COLUMBUS, OHIO, 11/2/73,  
SPONSORED BY FAIR TRIAL FOR AMERICA COALITION, SUBVERSIVE MATTER.

[REDACTED], INTELLIGENCE UNIT, COLUMBUS PO,  
COLUMBUS, OHIO, ADVISED "IMPEACH NIXON" RALLY HELD AS SCHEDULED,  
WEST SIDE STATEHOUSE, COLUMBUS, OHIO, NOON-12:45 PM, TODAY. RALLY  
UNDER SPONSORSHIP "FAIR TRIAL FOR AMERICA COALITION". ESTIMATED 125  
INDIVIDUALS PARTICIPATED IN RALLY.

SPEAKERS INCLUDED BENSON WOLMAN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, AMERICAN  
CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION, COLUMBUS, OHIO, AND PETE ZASTROW, REPRESENTING  
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION, CINCIN-  
NATI, OHIO.

THEME OF RALLY WAS IMPEACHMENT OF PRESIDENT RICHARD M. NIXON.  
SPEAKERS CITED ALLEGED GUILT OF NIXON; POLITICAL SABOTAGE AND ESPIONAGE;  
ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF STANDARDS AND PRINCIPLES OF DEMOCRACY; AND  
ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF TRUST OF AMERICAN PEOPLE.

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RALLY WAS PEACEFUL AND NO INCIDENTS OR ARRESTS RESULTED.

VVAW IS NATIONAL ORGANIZATION COMPOSED PRIMARILY OF VETERANS OF WAR IN VIETNAM THAT HAS ORGANIZED AND PARTICIPATED IN NUMEROUS DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST THE WAR IN VIETNAM DURING 1970-1972, INCLUDING SEIZURE OF STATUE OF LIBERTY, NEW YORK CITY, AND OCCUPATION OF BETSY RDSS HOUSE, PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, IN 12/71. SIX MEMBERS OF VVAW WERE INDICTED BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY, TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA, 7/72, ON CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY TO VIOLATE FEDERAL ANTIRIOT LAW.

NAME OF ORGANIZATION CHANGED TO VVAW/WSO AT NATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING OF VVAW HELD PLACITAS, NEW MEXICO, 4/19/73 - 4/23/73.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE CINCINNATI NITEL TO BUREAU 11/1/73. UACB, NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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1 - Mr. [REDACTED]  
1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

SAC, San Francisco (100-71012)

11/6/73

Director, FBI (100-448092)

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**VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/  
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Headquarters indices have been checked on these individuals and it has been determined that the individual listed below has not been subject of active investigation. Because of his attendance at NSCM, you are directed to conduct appropriate preliminary inquiry to fully identify him and to determine extent of his VVAW/WBO activity. Be guided by Bureau letter 6/2/73 which gives guidelines as to the scope of investigations to be conducted in VVAW/WBO matters. Individuals who attended NSCM should be of sufficient interest to warrant complete investigation in view of their role in shaping the policies and international contacts of the VVAW/WBO.

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SAC, Phoenix (100-7603)

Director, FBI (100-448092)

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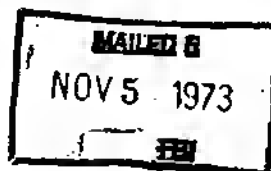
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Individual from your area is:

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1 - Mr. [REDACTED]  
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SAC, Los Angeles (100-77703)

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Director, FBI (100-448092)

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Individuals from your area are as follows:

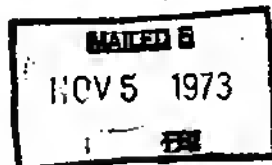
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SAC, Kansas City (100-14836)

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Director, FBI (100-448092)

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Individuals from your area are as follows:

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SAC, Little Rock (100-4158)

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Vietnam Veterans Against the War/  
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Individual from your area is:

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On page 69, Item L, the identities of those from Southern Illinois, Eastern Missouri, Arkansas - Oklahoma District are set out. It is impossible to determine which ones are from Arkansas. Review indices and check informants on all names and handle accordingly.

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Enclosed for the Bureau and Chicago is one copy  
 each of a VVAW/WSO newsletter received by [REDACTED] by  
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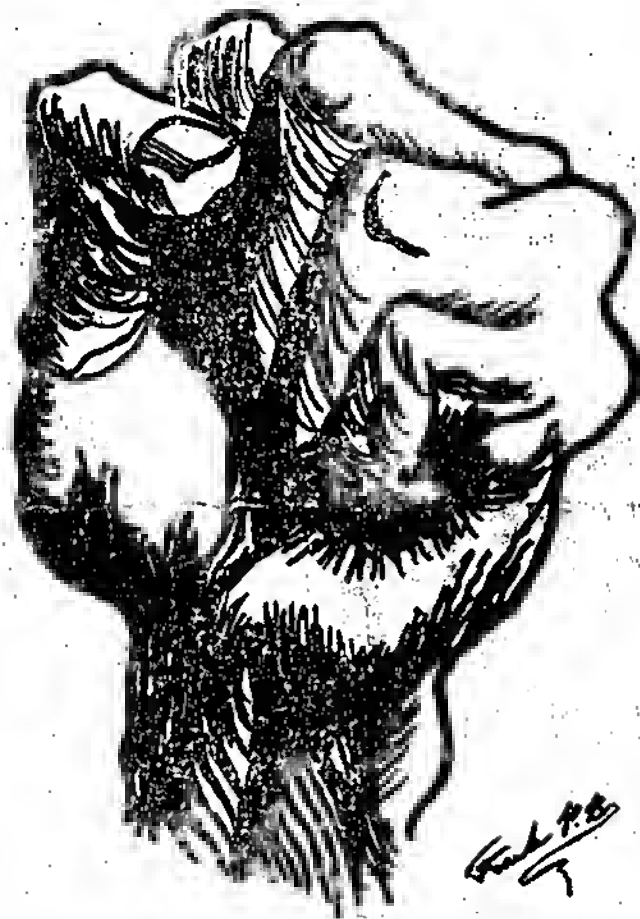
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IF OUR PEOPLE FIGHT ONE TRIBE  
AT A TIME, ALL WILL BE KILLED.  
THEY CAN CUT OFF ALL OUR FINGERS  
ONE BY ONE. BUT IF WE JOIN TOGETHER  
WE WILL MAKE A POWERFUL FIST!

—LITTLE TURTLE  
MASTER GENERAL, MIAMI INDIANS  
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WE AND YOU ARE THE G.I. MOVEMENT \*\* AND THIS IS WHAT WE STAND FOR:

We want to build a better and more just society, one built for the happiness of many instead of the profit of a few; a society which believes in peace for all the world based on the right of all nations to determine their destinies for themselves. We understand that competition profits the ruling class while cooperation helps the people. We believe capitalism is the cause of war, is the tool of repression, and is the way we are kept down as human beings. What do you want as a human being? What can we do to end our oppression and harassment? Do you want Big Brother watching you all the time? We believe we must do the following things:

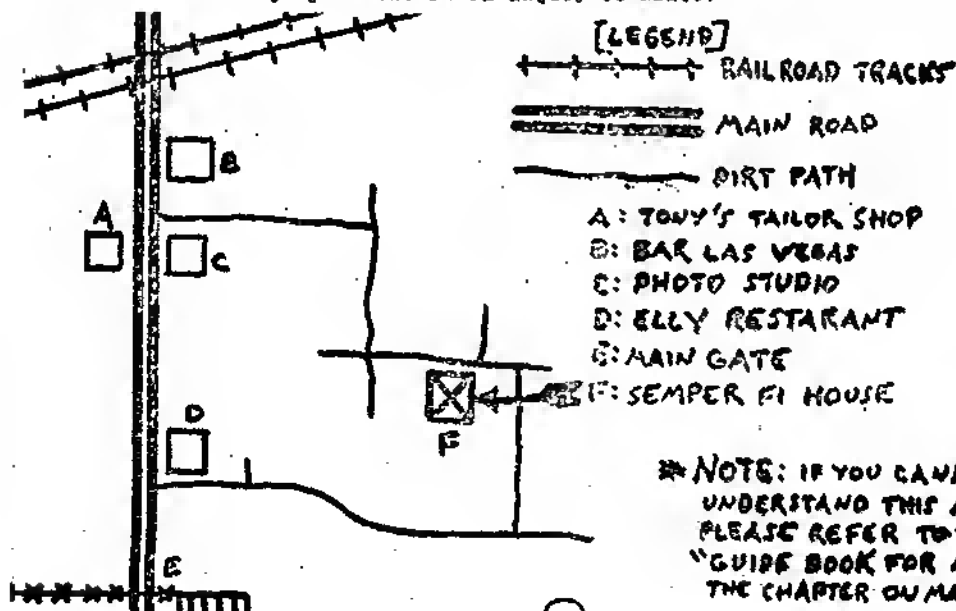
1. We know that our efforts to "stop communism" are a sham fabricated by the corporations in the United States to pit the American working people against the people of the world. The wars in Indochina were won by the corporations against the Indochinese people and we demand an end to these wars of aggression.

2. We demand reinstatement of our civil, democratic, and constitutional rights; we want better living and working conditions, better wages, an end to harassment by immature lifers, an end to the rank system which sets one person against another for profit, and an end to the dress code.

3. Racism is used by the military to keep the people down by setting one race against another and all against the people of Indochina. Racism is also used to keep people from thinking about their real enemies. We support the liberation struggles of the people of all races and will work to eliminate racism in the military, our society, and ourselves.

4. We demand an education as to our rights, and also a true history as Americans.

5. We know we need unity. We will therefore organize for unity and People's Power. Through People's Power we will gain our rights and liberation. We know that an injury to one is an injury to all!!!



# PIGS ATTACK FI (Again)

Since the last issue of the FI a plot has come to light -- a plot by certain heavies of the squadrons that have just returned from "down South." There have been numerous "counseling sessions" for individuals involved in the movement. There have even been outright threats of court-martial for simply working on the paper. It has also been stated (erroneously) in official publications that to be associated in any way with the FI house is against wing and station regulations. All in all we have been subjected to a vicious campaign of lies and half-truths intended to intimidate people who wish to clear their minds of Marine Corps garbage and think for themselves. So it comes time once again to clear the air and the good name of the FI after this most recent smear campaign.

The first and probably most pertinent fact is that you cannot be legally busted for writing for the paper or distributing it (off base, off duty and out of uniform) or for coming out to the FI house to rap. The paper and the house are perfectly legal under DoD Directive 1325.6 and MCO 5370.4. You also have a clear legal right to possess one copy of this or any publication (on base or elsewhere) and to join any A.I. movement organization and attend its meetings. These orders are final authority over any wing or station orders to the contrary. The old wing and station orders with which some people have been threatened have always been interpreted to be consistent with the higher orders (or else they would be illegal) however confused and ambiguous their language may seem. As proof, if you need it, ask your favorite porker why no one has ever been busted for working on the paper in its four years of existence? Your favorite porker will probably change the subject.

The FI is not a front for the Russian or Chinese communists or anyone else. It is us. (If we had all that backing we wouldn't have to ask for donations to keep the paper going!) If you must put a label on us, "left-oriented" might do. We do have Marxist literature available; so does Tricky Dick and few have yet called him a dreaded Pinko for it. Our program is outlined on the opposite page. The ten point program of VVAW is even more detailed so those who want a clearer idea of what our politics really are should stop by and check that out.

The lawyer out at the house is a volunteer from the National Lawyers Guild Military Law Office. He is on a one year leave of absence from his law firm in California. The Guild provides him travel and living expenses; no salary. Some pigs have been saying that the Guild is another communist front organization and is listed on the "Attorney General's List." It is a national bar association with several thousand members. It is not on the "Attorney General's List." Not that it would make much difference. The government's credibility in witch hunting is pretty low these days. Remember, they called Martin Luther King, Jr., a communist to.

The most flagrant untruth is the drug charge. There are no drugs at the house. We get hassled enough for our political beliefs, so why give Big Brother an excuse to attack us?

These are the facts. If some porker tries to tell you differently (acting in an official capacity) you can write him up for making a false official statement under Article 107, U.C.M.J.! Do it! We have a class on legal rights every Thursday night at 8:00 where you can learn more about what our rights are and how we can use them to fight this kind of petty bullshit.

Another best way to refute the charges of these uninformed "people" (I use the term loosely) is simply to invite our readers to listen and see for themselves what we're advocating. I use the word "invite" because I'm sure that all of you are sufficiently fed up with being told how to think and act. Come out and see whatever it is that the Marine Corps is so paranoid about. Could it be freedom?

-S.M.

UNITY-STRUGGLE-VICTORY!  
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

# THE REAL CMC

The recent government crisis called "Watergate" has dramatically and convincingly shown the world the suppressive "police state" attitudes and behavior of the United States government under the Nixon administration. It seems that beneath the pure, forthright image of the American way, where truth, justice and freedom for the individual are supreme, there lies a monster that is running us right into a 1984 situation. This monster is our government and it has now raised it's ugly fascist head above the surface. It has become a bureaucratic machine that has run out of control. The top levels of our government have become so alienated from the "stream-of-life" that they have forgotten the basic concepts of why it was created and what it should protect. It's sole function seems to have become it's own self-preservation: in other words, to see that the machine keeps running. (After all it is a good machine and has worked in the past, and all you subversive motherfuckers are being sacrilegious to the holy machine and should be shot or put away!!!!?)

Well now, down the social structure at our level, we see this bullshit even with our limited education, apathetic views toward politics and the 200 hits of acid we did and fried our brains and got burnt out. We still can see the handwriting on the wall. How come these higher-educated corporate exec types that run our governing administration don't see or realize that behaving so, and flagrantly ignoring the Constitution, they are messing with the future of the country, and are destroying it.

Now the big chief of this green machine (of which all of us are cogs, nuts, or screws whether or not we like it) is paying a visit here, to see how well oiled it is.

Who is this guy Cushman? Well, the info I got is limited since I did not have the time, or facilities, but it is factual.

In early 1957, Cushman, then a Colonel, but a Naval Academy graduate, was assigned to Vice President Richard M. Nixon as his chief advisor on national security. He stayed with Nixon for 4 years, developing a close personal relationship.

When Nixon became president in 1969 he brought Cushman back from Vietnam and installed him in the CIA, where he stayed until January 1972 when Nixon gave him his fourth star and made him Commandant of the Marine Corps, a member of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

What it boils down to in plain language is that fat boy was good at grabbing rank fast and making friends in high places: which means he did a lot of brown-nosing. He was a yee-man!

He has shown a great concern about his career. A very deep concern, I would say, since he did it not only in the military but politically as well. He might have had to step on a few people too: ruined a few careers, maybe burned somebody here or there. As a one time advisor on national security he may not approve of your political or social attitude or your inquiring or questioning nature. Being in a position of power for quite a few years, he must be on his own trip, maybe a "Napolean complex." Evidently, to look at his hair length and waist line, he thinks he is above the regulations and directives of this questionable Corps. Or maybe this conforms to the new regulations, but the pigs around us just don't know them yet?

This brings us down to the Watergate affair. He was the only person from the Department of Defense and the Pentagon that was involved in it. (who has been exposed yet, anyway.) Kind of strange for the "no-nonsense," strict discipline, law-and-order man, head of this sacred Corps to be involved in such outright criminal behavior.

The National Security Act of 1947, which established the CIA, expressly prohibits it from having any "police, subversive, law enforcement powers or internal security functions." Any secret operations inside the U.S. are specifically forbidden.

But then John D. Erlichman, the recently fired chief White House advisor on domestic affairs, called the Deputy Director of the CIA (which was then Cushman) and asked him to help in the burglarization of the offices of Dr. Lewis Fielding, psychiatrist for Daniel Ellsberg (who they tried to burn for releasing to the press the famous Pentagon Papers).

Cushman agreed, and proceeded to outfit the burglars with CIA gear, including phony I.D.'s, a camera disguised as a tobacco pouch, voice alteration devices, and a red wig.

Cushman had to know, maybe not in exact detail, that some form of illegal violation of the National Security Act was going on. After all, you don't loan out sophisticated government equipment without knowing something strange is going on.

On May 6th, Sunday, sources close to the Watergate case (probably Justice Dept. prosecutors) told reporter Seymour M. Hersh of the New York Times about Cushman's involvement in the Ellsberg burglary. The Times printed it in Monday morning's paper. And that is how the shit hit the fan for our head pig.

Before the day had ended, CIA director James R. Schlesinger had promised an inquiry into the matter and no less than three congressional committees were planning to do likewise. So hopefully we are going to have some roasted pork very soon, and it had better be burned to the max.

That fat bastard should look pretty good on a spit with an apple in his mouth.



# DEMOCRACY DIES AGAIN

The list of legitimate governments toppled by the cretinous military mind was lengthened last week with the bloody coup in Chili. The freely elected Marxist government of Salvador Allende Gossens fell before the combined brutality of all the Chilean armed forces. In only two days the coup claimed several thousand people killed or wounded. Allende himself perished, "by his own hand," as the ruling junta would have us believe.

And what of our government? There was no cry of outrage at this crime. The State Department issued a statement saying that the department would not comment on or in any way interfere with the internal affairs of another country. This seems rather odd to hear from a regime which has bathed itself in Asian blood for the last five years. It also seems strange that the Pentagon has stayed on good terms with the Chilean brass while the Nixon administration has done nothing but try to make life uncomfortable for the Allende government.

Why would the American Machine take such an interest in Chili? For years the octopus of the American "free enterprise" system had its tentacles wrapped around nearly every aspect of the Chilean economy. Allende initiated a sweeping program of reform, which included nationalization of foreign industrial operations, beginning with total government ownership of the giant copper concerns, whose American owners had been woefully slow in training Chileans for more important, better paying jobs. I.T.T. went so far as to offer the U.S. government \$1 million to prevent Allende's election; and once he was in office, held discussions with the C.I.A. on possible ways to remove him from his post.

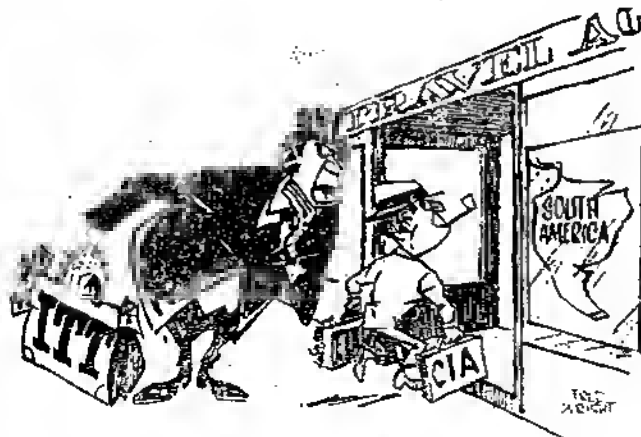
Are we to swallow this plea of innocence from Nixon and Co.? Surely people can see through this international plot! After Vietnam, Cambodia, South Korea, the Philippines and Greece, would you trust your local American ambassador?

--Tim Wheeler

## Mansfield Wants Probe

AP  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 21  
—U.S. Senate Democratic leader Mike Mansfield, of Montana Friday urged an investigation to determine whether the U.S. was involved in the overthrow of the late Chilean President Salvador Allende.

He cited news reports alleging that the Central Intelligence Agency and certain multinational corporations may have lent support to the military group that deposed Mr. Allende earlier this month.



"FIX ME UP WITH A GOVERNMENT WHICH WILL OVERTHROW THE PEOPLE!"

# WHY NIXON OPPOSES AMNESTY

With the scandals of the Pentagon Papers and now the Watergate exploding before the eyes of America, Nixon and the government is faced with a very serious credibility gap. In trying to maintain power this credibility gap poses a very serious threat to the Nixon gang. They must do everything they can to convince the people that they aren't out-and-out crooks and at least 'sort of' looking out for the needs of the people. Granting amnesty would instead imply that the war in Indochina was wrong, and that those who resisted it were right! This would in effect legitimize resistance to the government. As much hot water as Nixon is now in with the American people, the last thing he wants is more resistance. Amnesty would prove what we've said all along--- the war was wrong!

A second major reason Nixon doesn't want to grant amnesty is because of the economic implications involved. The U. S. economy is clearly in trouble--witness the spiraling cost of living, (food prices, gas prices, etc.), and the continuing crisis of unemployment. With a significant percentage of the entire labor force effectively excluded from real jobs by virtue of less than honorable discharges or prison records for war resistance, this crisis of unemployment is much easier to hide. A Dishonorable Discharge makes what is a problem of our entire, militarized, economy seem to be the problem of the individual; one who is being economically punished for being a 'bad boy.' The truth is that there are simply not enough real jobs to go around, and the less than honorable discharge is one way of lessening the visibility of the problem. Nixon also realizes that the war resisters wouldn't be the type of passive wage slaves that he'd like to see in the work force. They fought for their rights once, and could be expected to do so again. An amnesty is thus partially geared to breaking any spirit of labor militancy these people would potentially bring to the labor struggle by keeping them jobless or chronically unemployed.

## STATEMENT OF DELEGATES OF EXILES, ACTIVE DUTY GIs AND VETERANS TO A WORKING SESSION ON AMNESTY: EUROPE, FEBRUARY 19-21, 1973

At a time when we are told the war is coming to an end, American troops, materiel and advisers still remain in Indochina and U.S. intervention in the affairs of the Indochinese peoples continues. We, war resisters in exile, active duty GIs, and veterans demand that the U.S. government withdraw all its troops from Indochina and strictly adhere to the January 27 agreement to end the war.

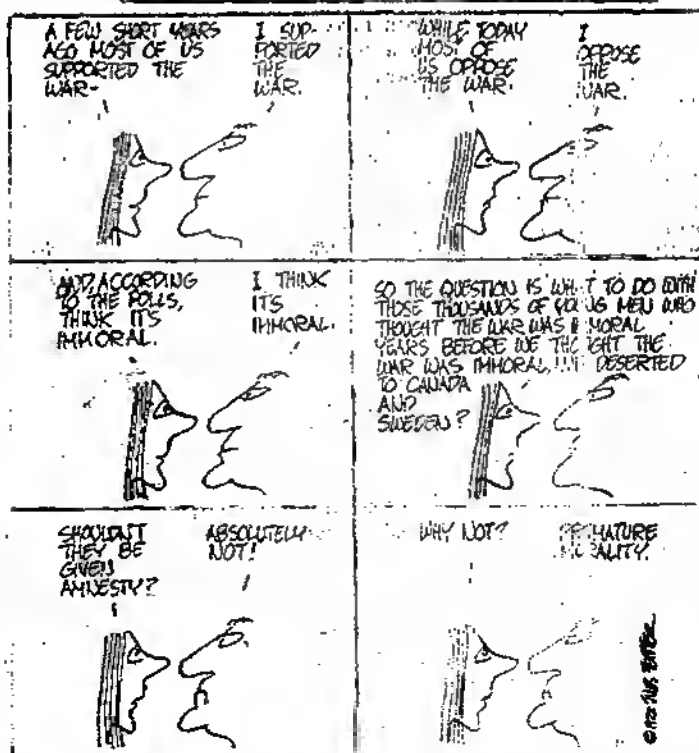
The American government's illegal intervention in Southeast Asia has been opposed by a majority of American people. Hundreds of thousands of men and women in the U.S. have suffered a loss of civil rights, liberty, and jobs because they have been in opposition to the war or subjected to the racism and oppression of the American military and draft systems. Contrary to Nixon's deliberate distortion about the "few hundred" anti-war exiles, there are in fact 60-100,000 of them. But the majority of war resisters are inside the U.S., where an estimated 200,000 live underground. Thousands are behind bars; many have court records; and over 300,000 veterans have less than honorable discharges.

We demand universal, unconditional amnesty (with no alternative service or other punitive measures, or case-by-case judgement) for:

1. All military resisters (so-called "deserters") and draft resisters in exile or underground in the U.S.;
2. All people who are or have been in civilian and military prisons, or those who are sought for prosecution because of their opposition to the war - this includes a clearing of their records;
3. The more than half million veterans with less than honorable discharges.

War resisters are not criminals; the real criminals are the American government leaders who have violated the U.S. constitution and international law in waging this war. It is these people who are responsible for the death and destruction in Indochina and for the hundreds of thousands of Americans killed or wounded in combat.

The perpetuation of this illegal war by the United States has violated the honor that should surround service to one's country. Only an amnesty which is universal and unconditional will truly mark an end to the U.S. government's disastrous policy in Indochina and at the same time serve to prevent all such future wars.



# DID YOU KNOW

## FODDING?

At El Toro Marine Corps Station in Santa Ana, California, Cpl. Mike Tippet is being charged with "fodding" two F-4 Phantom jets. FOD stands for Foreign Object Damage, which means leaving tools, bolts or other foreign objects in the jet engine intakes after repairs are finished.

However, in Mike's squadron 12 such incidents have occurred since August. This points out that morale is getting low and discontent is on the rise.

Manytimes fodding occurs because of carelessness, but more often the cause may be anti-military sentiment.

The GI's in Mike's squadron have been getting harassed quite a bit from their Commanding Officer.

Mike Tippet faces more than ten years in prison for being suspected of the fodding crime. The evidence against him is weak, and there are no eyewitnesses to the alleged crime. In fact, two days after Mike was put in pre-trial confinement for being the cause of all the fodding, another plane blew up on the flightline.

Mike's case is similar to that of Billy Dean Smith, who in being framed for fragging two officers in Nam. Mike is being prosecuted because of his political beliefs and activities and not because of fodding at all. The brass knows that planes can always be replaced, but when you start changing people's ideas about the war and such, that in so great a threat to them that they try to stick it to you. But Mike's getting lots of help from the people and is bound to beat this tur rap.

## THE PROMISED LAND ???

Five thousand years ago, Moses said, "Pack your camel, pick up your shovel, mount your ass, and I shall lead you to The Promised Land!"

Five thousand years later, Franklin D. Roosevelt said, "Lay down your shovel, sit on your ass, light up a camel, for this IS The Promised Land!"

Today, Nixon will tax your shovel, sell your camel, kick your ass, and tell you there is NO Promised Land!

BY: Grant H. Hendrick

## Pro-Amnesty Sgt. Jailed

The Army is considering court-martial charges against a drill instructor who, while on duty, proposed conditional amnesty for draft resisters. SSgt. Conrad Rondeau, 35, a seven-year Army veteran with one tour in Vietnam, is currently being held in the Ft. Ord stockade after he refused to stop talking about amnesty and would not see a psychiatrist.

Rondeau first advocated, on a local TV program, that amnesty be granted to those who agree to return and serve six years in the National Guard. His problems started, however, when he discussed his proposal while in uniform on active duty. Thus, the Army claims he engaged in political activity specifically prohibited by the government regulations and the Hatch Act.

Rondeau recently dismissed his civilian lawyer, Fred Novinger, of Monterey, CA, who was a prosecutor in the infamous 1968 Presidio-San Francisco mutiny case. If convicted, Rondeau, charged with seven counts of "voceal refusal to obey orders," faces five years confinement and a DD. (NOMLAC, SF CHRONICLE 3/30, and MONTEREY PENINSULA HERALD, 4/7)

# SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!!!

(Rapid City, S.D.) - Lawyers for defendants of the Wounded Knee occupation have made citizens arrest of three FBI agents who assaulted attorneys of the Wounded Knee Legal Defense - Offense Committee. Lawyers also charged that the FBI had been bugging and conducting other types of electronic surveillance of the defense operations for the Native American participants in the occupation from a building FBI agents had moved into located next door to the committee's law office.

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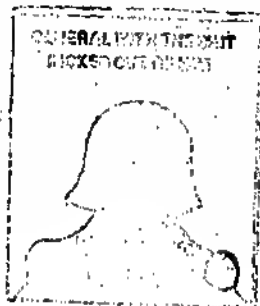
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## PSALM of KING

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"I believe that if we had and would keep our dirty, bloody, dollar-crooked fingers out of the businesses of these nations so full of depressed, exploited people, they will arrive at a solution of their own. That they design and want. That they fight and work for. And if unfortunately their revolution must be of the violent type because the 'haves' refused to share with the 'have-nots' by any peaceful method, at least what they get will be their own, and not the American style, which they don't want, and above all don't want crammed down their throats."

-General David H. Shoup,  
former Commandant of the Marine Corps.

So bad his present successor doesn't see things that clearly,

Nixon is my shepherd; I shall indeed want.  
He maketh me sick of censorship; he invadeth my privacy.  
He leadeth me beside the still factories; he guideth me in the paths of unemployment.  
He restoreth my doubts in the Republican Party; for the rich man's sake.  
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of economic depression, I will fear no evil; for he will surely veto everything.  
He emptieth my table before me; in order to give unto mine enemies.  
He annointeth my wages with fire; so that my expenses runneth over my income.  
Surely, poverty and hard living shall follow the Republican Party; and I will dwell in low-income housing forever.

BY: Grant H. Hendrick

The city of Kobe, Japan, learning that the people are starving in Seattle Washington and that our government refused to aid them, decided to start it's own program to send food packages and relief food to them.

Senator Magnuson of Washington lamented: "This administration can see great humanity in providing a \$200 million loan for a hungry Lockheed Corporation, but can't see spending another dime on hungry human beings."

# WHY VIETNAM WON

The people of Vietnam have been victorious on the battlefield! You might wonder how such a poor, underdeveloped nation can be so strong against a rich, powerful nation like the United States. To me it is easy to see.

The American military is not democratic, to say the least. They'll bust you for handing out a leaflet in the barracks. But the National Liberation Front or "Viet Cong" as the military propaganda would have us call them, combine democracy and leadership. Before every battle, the officers and men meet in small groups and discuss what is going to happen. As long as even one lowest rated snuffly has a question about the battle, they keep talking until all are satisfied.

During the battle, each does what is agreed. Afterwards they meet again and criticize what happened. Sometimes if a commander messes up, his men choose another commander.

Can you imagine what would happen if you criticized your C.O. for some mistake he made during a mission that fouled-up an airplane and made you work your ass off trying to fix it? You would definitely be put on his shit-list!

The men of the Liberation Army "elect" their officers! By having a choice in who they have for a leader, they can pick a man they respect and one they know won't stab them in the back. Officers of the Liberation Army rise from the ranks of the people. They have no more money than the snufflies. Their parents and congressman don't send them to college or any kind of formal O.C.S. training.

In the American military the super-hearries decide who our individual G.O., X.O. or O.I.C. is to be. As we all know our officers are college grads, go through O.C.S., etc., etc. Most of them are from the rich, higher class families. So they like to be set on a pedestal looking down on us like they are better than us. How much respect does this warrant?

Officers and men of the Liberation Army dress alike, eat the same food, sleep in the same hammocks, share the same bamboo huts.

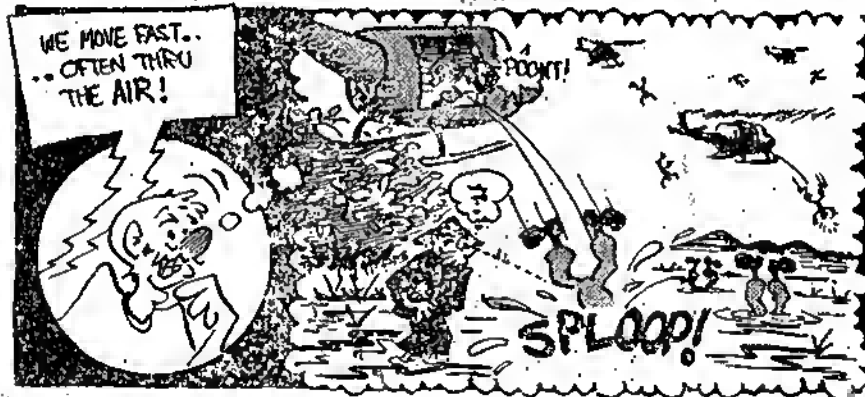
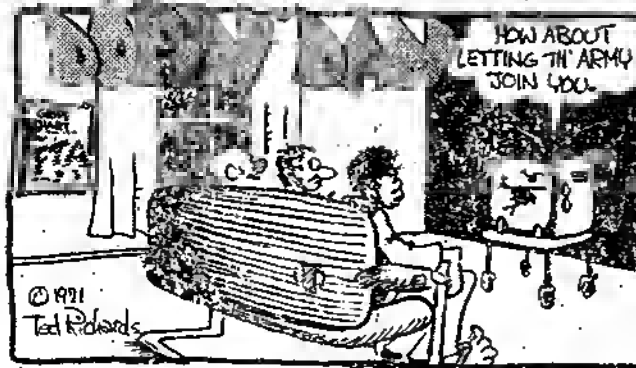
Again the American officers are put on a pedestal by having fancy officers' clubs, officers' housing, different food, different recreation facilities and different uniforms.

Last, and I believe most important of all, every man in the Liberation Army knows what he is fighting for. They don't get confused and cynical like American servicemen when they find out what the fight in Vietnam, Laos or Cambodia is really like, compared to what they were told during basic training.

Which kind of military would you rather be in?

Terry Godbee

(information on the NLF from  
Vietnam. A Thousand Years of  
Struggle.)



# FRAME-UP

## LAWTON-GARDNER TRIAL

The situation in the Riverside courtroom where the trial of Gary Lawton and Zurebu (Larrie) Gardner is being conducted is becoming increasingly blatant in its racism and legal gymnastics. Lawton, Gardner and Nehemiah Jackson were previously tried in Indio, Cal. on charges of murdering two policemen. The first trial ended in a hung jury. As the second trial was about to begin, Jackson was severed from the case. He is a young college student and the DA felt that Jackson's presence and image in the case would make it more difficult to get a conviction on Lawton and Gardner. So, an agreement was made between Jackson's attorney and the DA that if this second trial of Lawton ended in acquittal or a hung jury, Jackson would not be tried. It is becoming clear that Jackson's charges will never see the inside of a courtroom. There was only one witness to testify against Jackson in the original trial, Sgt. Nash, a voice print expert from the Michigan State Police Dept. This single witness was recently charged with perjury in another California trial, so Jackson is as good as free.

Judging from the goings-on in the courtroom, we may begin to hope that Gary and Zurebu will also soon be free. The prosecution rested its case with the testimony of a young man named Inman. Inman testified that Sally Harris (a friend of Gary and Zurebu who had earlier testified that she knew nothing about the shootings) had told him that she was going to lie in court and say that she didn't know anything about the murders. Following Inman's testimony, the witness went into the hallway where he met Officer Lund (the new assistant to the chief investigator, Nelson). A defense supporter overheard Inman tell Lund that he wouldn't do anything

like he had done on the stand again, suggesting that he had lied under oath.

The defense began their case on Sept. 12th, and the first witness called was Officer Lund. He admitted that Inman had lied on the stand, so the testimony of Inman was impeached. Then, Detective Nelson was put on the stand and he admitted that the investigators had conducted 6-8 interviews with Inman and that two of these interviews were taped.

Keller, Gary's attorney, requested these tapes and was allowed to hear them. On Thursday, the 13th, the jury was dismissed because the issue of introducing the tapes was to be discussed. Keller requested that the DA, Lee Porst, be charged with contempt for withholding evidence, and accused Porst of being a racist and trying to frame his client and Gardner. Porst jumped up and began ranting about how he was tired of always being referred to as the bad guy in this trial. The judge then retired to his chambers, listened to the tapes, and returned to tell the court that Keller could put the defense supporter who had overheard Inman and Lund on the stand, that Inman could be put back on the stand, and he warned the DA that he was walking a very thin line with regards to contempt charges.



Following this minor defense victory, Keller requested that Porst turn over a list of the rebuttal witnesses so that he could prepare for cross-examination. The DA admitted having the witnesses lined up, which is unusual since the defense has only begun to present its case, but that he would not give Keller the names unless Keller would give the DA a list of alibi witnesses. At this point, Lawton stood up and told Keller not to give him a list. The judge intervened and told Gary to be quiet or he would be found in contempt. Gary asked the judge why he didn't find Porst in contempt. Instead, the judge ordered that Lawton be sent to jail. Gary then got into the action and accusing the DA of being a racist. Gary



ner told Porst to either shut up or get up and began walking toward the DA. With this act, Henry Nelson, Gardner's attorney jumped between Zurebu and Porst and told Porst to "quit being my defendant, BOY!"

The scene became more hectic when Chukia Lawton jumped up and began yelling at Porst, calling him a racist and telling him to leave Zurebu alone. Judge News looked at the DA and Chukia and yelled "Court dismissed!" News then ran out of the court, only to run into Gary in the hall. He then ran into Gary's chambers. News then ran into Gary's chambers. News then ran into Gary's chambers.

While Gary was in the judge's chambers waiting for his contempt hearing, 35 policemen dressed in full riot gear charged into the courtroom. They were led by Officer Blas who went to find the judge and told him that all the doors were covered and order had been restored. The judge asked who had sent for him and told Blas to get himself and his cohorts out of his courtroom.

Back in chambers, News rescinded the contempt order on Gary and told him to go back and sit down.

Then the judge met with Keller, Nelson and Porst. Porst and Keller began arguing again and Keller called the DA a racist. Porst objected and told Keller to give him one example of his racism. At this point, Keller made it known to the judge that Porst is not only a racist with regard to black and brown people, and he cited the courtroom occurrence in which Porst became angered at Keller. Porst shoved his chair into Lawton's attorney (who is Jewish) and called him a "dirty little bastard like I'm going to get you when this trial is over." With this example, News told Porst that he was the poorest excuse for an attorney that he had ever seen and warned Porst that when the trial is over, he is planning to hold a contempt hearing and investigate the DA for misconduct.

With this example of a day in the life of the Lawton/Gardner trial, it should be clear that what we have is not a trial, but a zoo. If scenes like this continue, there should be no doubt in the juror's minds that this trial does not contain even a semblance of justice, but a blatant frame up of a highly respected community organizer. The defense expects to fight its case at the end of this month, so we hope that Gary and Zurebu will soon be free. However, their freedom is an expensive item. The defense committee is still in need of funds, so all contributions should be sent to: The Riverside Defense Committee, P.O. Box 5154, San Bernardino, California 92412.

FREE  
ALL  
POLITICAL  
PRISONERS !



# VIVA LA HUELGA!

"Before the Union, farmworkers slaved for 12-13 years without a day's vacation. The foreman had complete control. The foreman would approach a worker saying, 'You have one hour to prune 30 plants. If in that hour you don't hit the road...' Those were the days when a farmworker with a family of 13 had to settle for an hourly rate of \$1.15.

"But the Union has improved our working and living conditions 100%. The work isn't killing us any more. Workers aren't harassed and fired as they were before. Workers no longer have to jump when the grower comes, nor take off their hats in homage to him.

"When the Union came, out went the crooked foreman, the despots and the labor contractors who earned up to \$35,000 a year by robbing the crew they hired."

These statements were made by farmworkers who have experienced years of struggle in order for them to get where they are today. The United Farm Workers Union began in 1965 shortly after workers walked off the job after the growers tried to lessen the \$1.40 an hour wage that had been part of their contract. This marked the beginning of the successful five year strike and boycott aimed at grape growers in Southern California who had criminally treated the migrant farm workers, mainly Chicanos.

The nationwide boycott of grapes and the will of the striking farm workers forced the growers to recognize the Farm Workers Union,

under the leadership of Cesar Chavez, as the legitimate representative of migrant farmworkers. In 1970 grape growers representing 85% of the industry signed contracts with UFWU.

Within the next year, the UFWU expanded and won recognition for farmworkers all across the country.



With the advent of an organized union, the grape and lettuce growers and agri-business recognized a threat to their immense profits. This led the growers to try to push through anti-union laws to outlaw strikes and boycotts by agricultural unions. The laws were passed in several states, but in California, Oregon and Florida the united forces of the farmworkers defeated these attempts to destroy the UFWU.

This led agri-business to try another way to break up UFWU, by introducing the Teamster's Union into the California farm areas. In 1970 the Teamster's Union contracts allowed for no workers' benefits as compared to the contracts signed by UFWU. The UFWU negotiated a union hiring hall, seniority system, pesticide control, nine hour limit, overtime pay, grievance procedure, medical benefits, control on layoffs, collective bargaining and a pension plan, while the Teamsters offered none of these that would benefit the workers.

In April of 1973, when the UFWU contracts expired, the growers in league with the bosses of the Teamsters Union signed the contracts the Teamsters in an outright attempt to destroy the rights the workers had fought for and won under the UFWU. Those represented by UFWU dropped from 40,000 to approximately 6,000. The workers realizing immediately what was in store for them, struck the fields of Coachella, California, the first harvest area. Workers from Salinas volunteered to support the Coachella strike realizing that this battle was necessary to save the union. Within one week after the 'sweetheart' deals between the growers and the Teamsters, hundreds were arrested as the growers learned quickly that the farmworkers were determined to remain represented by UFWU. As the workers struck, Teamster 'organizers', in actuality goon squads, were called in to keep the workers down.

In July, a group of 50 goons armed with pipes, clubs and chains attacked the nonviolent farmworkers in order to bust up their strike. In August Nagi Daifullah, an Arab farm worker was killed after being beaten by a cop and two days later Juan De LaCruz, a striker was shot to death.

After the two murders, the Teamster's Union voided their signed contracts with the growers in an attempt to placate the outraged farm workers. This action by the Teamsters has successfully covered up the fact that the killing of DeLaCruz was done by one of their goons. But the aim of the Teamsters Union is still to destroy the UFWU. The day after the announcement was made about voiding the contracts, they announced that they would attempt to organize workers in San Diego County.

The Farm Workers Union has a long hard struggle ahead to finally represent the farmworkers. The workers are becoming very impatient with the tactics of the big unions: the Teamsters and the AFL-CIO. But as their force and pressure continue to topple the attempts to subvert their union, they are picking up the support of millions of workers around the country, who view the struggle of the farmworkers as their own.

The Farmworkers ask that all people continue to boycott grapes and head lettuce during these crucial months.

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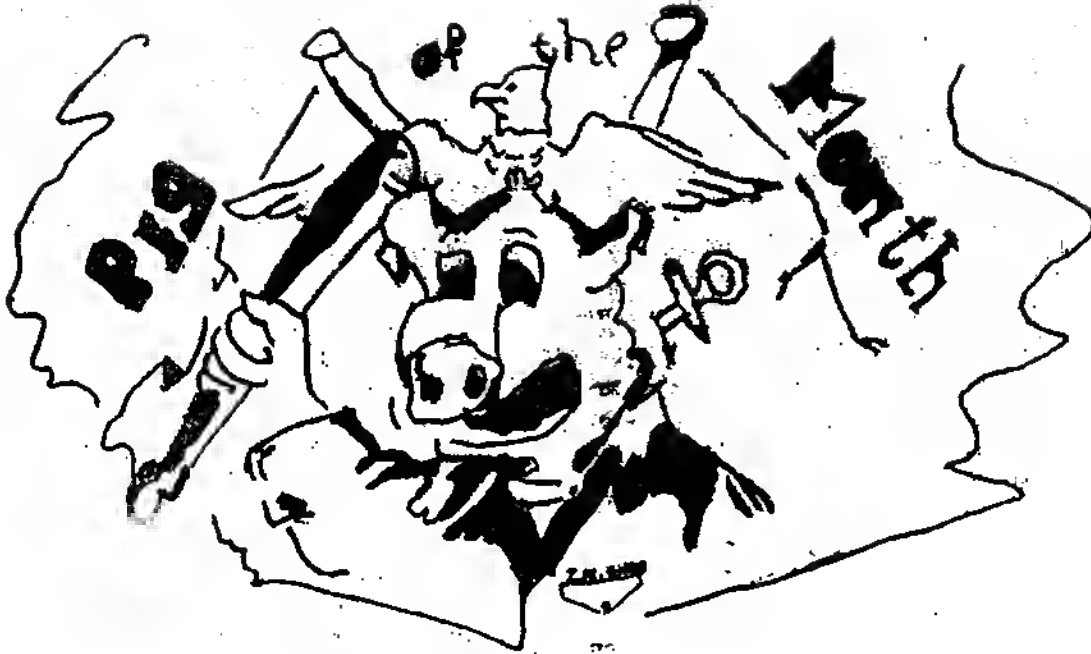
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This week's pig is Swine Rex. Yes, that's right, the big fat motherfucker that runs the green circus. From the Ivory Sty in DC thousands of orders, regulations, rules, and directives are directly and indirectly sent out by this Gluteus Maximus. And all the piglets, porkers, and sows run around obeying them, unquestioned, like the clean-cut, pressed, sharp looking, good little one-way, rank conscious hypocrites that they are.

He acquired his position after years of service for Big Brother as deputy snitch and wipe-ass, and probably a nark. This shit-for-brains is the top uniformed echelon of the bureaucracy that is known as the Marine Corps. To reach his puppet position he took courses on asskissing and he obviously learned them very well because he picked up his stars from Dick-the-Prick ahead of many of the more senior ass-lickers. His waistline proves he's full of hot air, his hair is sometimes longer than yours. (But you better get your head whitewalled to present a narrow minded image.)

A close acquaintance of Emperor Nixon! Was he the court jester or prattboy? When he was caught red-handed in the middle of the Watergate scandal, illegally providing CIA equipment for his White House buddies and their hired thugs his pitifully lame excuse was that he knew it was illegal, but, Gee, he didn't think he'd ever get caught!

Is this the kind of pig we're supposed to follow blindly, and even respect? Be Serious!

Yes, I speak of none other than CMC Robert E. Cushman.

\* See pages four & five for more details of the Big Pig's career in crime.



WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION

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Brothers and Sisters:

We have been getting conflicting reports on the composition of the VVAW/USO delegation to the World Peace Council (WPC) in Moscow. Our information has come from reliable sources.

On Thursday, October 11th, we learned that financial problems and confusion over the image of VVAW/USO had developed and that Brian Adams would be the only VVAW/USO delegate. Annie Bailey and Gunny (John) Musgrave had been dropped from the list by the WPC credentials committee. This committee was handling the travel expenses for Annie, Brian, and Gunny. (Gunny had been invited by groups working with the committee, which issued the two invitations accepted by VVAW/USO for Annie and Brian.)<sup>1</sup> Gunny had been dropped because of limited funds and Annie because she is a woman and a non-veteran.

Concerned about these hassles, we talked with Gunny and Annie on Thursday and Friday, October 11th and 12th. Gunny, who had spoken with the credentials committee just two days before, on the 9th, still thought that he was on the delegation. Annie said that she was definitely off the list unless she could find her own funding.

Then, on Monday, October 15th, we received VVAW/USO Newsletter #12, which says that only Annie and Brian, of the five possible delegates, will be going to Moscow.<sup>2</sup> This newsletter is dated October 9th, two days before we learned that Brian would be the only delegate and the same day that Gunny talked with the committee.

These hassles and differing reports have raised some serious questions in our minds.

- 1/ Who is responsible for these conflicting reports? If internal and/or external liason are responsible, we suggest that those in charge of these areas re-evaluate their operations. If the source of the problems really is with the WPC credentials committee, perhaps VVAW/USO should examine the possibility that the credentials committee is not dealing with VVAW/USO in good faith. If this is the case then the invitation should be retracted even at this late date.
- 2/ Whose preferences should VVAW/USO abide by: those of the membership, those of other organizations? In this case, the wishes of the WPC credentials committee have negated the vote of the NSC. Annie, who received the most votes in St. Louis, may have been dropped while Brian, who was not elected, has been retained as a delegate.<sup>3</sup>

- 3/ Shouldn't external liaison check into all stipulations—current and potential—of an invitation before accepting it and bringing it to a vote by the coordinators? If Annie's funding has been pulled, it is because she is not a combat veteran. If NSC is to be more than tokenism, we must stress to everyone that ours is an open organization in which all active members have equal standing and opportunities. VVAH/NSC must stand behind all of its elected ~~intra~~ representatives.
- 4/ How did Brian become a VVAH/NSC delegate? He was not elected by the NSC nor did he have his own financial backing. Ginny reminded us that ~~when~~ when organizations have issued invitations they have asked that a national officer attend to give credibility and prestige to that delegation.
- 5/ Should invitations with this stimulation in them be accepted? Acceptance of these invitations contributes to elitism. When only one delegate is invited only a national coordinator may accept. This limits the number of members to whom VVAH/NSC can offer the opportunity to travel and to feel like participants in their own organization. This limits the views we can present. These points are particularly relevant so long as national coordinators are able to succeed themselves in office.

This letter is not, in any way, intended as a personal attack upon Brian. We merely wish to raise some questions of policy that we feel need to be answered. We suggest that a workshop on invitations and national delegations be included in the December NSCML.

When members hear such conflicting reports of changes it tends to make them resentful. Feeling that VVAH/NSC has become a dictatorship that overrides the NSC and makes decisions without consulting the membership, despite the protestations of brother/sisterhood. We know because we thought these things and more.

Love,

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enc: Footnotes.

The following is from the minutes of the St. Louis NSCN, pp. 30 and 31.

#### WORLD PEACE COUNCIL CONFERENCE IN MOSCOW

On October 20-November 2, the World Peace Council will be sponsoring an International Congress to be held in Moscow. VVAN/USO has been invited to send a delegation. In light of this, the following proposal was made.

PROPOSAL: The VVAN/USO send a delegation to the Moscow conference.

NOTE: This proposal received unanimous acceptance.

Recommendations were taken from the body on the composition of the delegation. It was also mentioned that John Hoveau and John Huggrove have already received invitations and have the financial backing to attend the conference. Because of this, they were not voted on by the steering committee since they will both be attending the Congress anyway. The other nominations to become a part of the official delegation included: Annie Bailey (Wisconsin), Bill Rager (California), Tim Eutz (Washington, D.C.) and Pete Mastrom (Ohio). Annie Bailey received the most votes and Bill Rager came in second. VVAN/USO has been promised free transportation for two people and one of the people who will be attending is Brian Adams from the National Office. The other free transportation will be used by Annie.

PROPOSAL: The official delegation from VVAN/USO to the International Congress in Moscow is to include Brian Adams, Annie Bailey, John Hoveau, and John Huggrove. Bill Rager is to be the official alternate and if we receive more funding for transportation Bill Rager is to become part of the delegation.

NOTE: This proposal received unanimous acceptance.

The following is from Newsletter #12, dated October 9, 1973, p. 3.

#### DELEGATION TO THE WORLD PEACE COUNCIL IN MOSCOW

The VVAN/USO delegation to the Moscow meeting of the World Peace Council, (Oct. 2 - Nov. 2), will be leaving shortly. As of now the delegation will only be composed of Brian Adams, (Nat'l Collective), and Annie Bailey, (Wis.-Iowa. VVAN/USO). The St. Louis NSCN has also officially endorsed Bill Rager and John Hoveau (Calif. VVAN/USO), and John Huggrove, (Ohio) (Great Plains VVAN/USO), as alternates to the conference. The initial understanding we had was that we would be sending more than two individuals. Due to problems, i.e. lack of money and space, the group coordinating this trip has recently informed us that none of these other individuals will probably be able to go. As soon as we get a final verdict on whether or not we can add to our delegation we will pass that information along to you.

\*\*\* There are no VVAN/USO stipulations that national officers be delegates to conferences, according to the June, 1973, Working Paper. The following excerpts from this paper are on pages 1 and 5-7.

External Liason— Responsible for keeping in contact with other foreign and domestic anti-war, anti-imperialistic, progressive, and revolutionary organizations. Also responsible for gathering literature and information from other organizations and resource centers for analysis and dissemination to the chapters and the regions.

#### Delegate Selection for National and International Meetings.

Agrantee that there is an international or national meeting and there is not time to coordinate the delegation selection with the National Steering Committee, then regions are to select representatives and send the names and biographies to the National Office for coordination. The biographies are to state who the member is, what he/she is doing and why they are going. The National Office is to give each representative a letter prior to the meeting stating that he/she is an official VVAN/USO representative. All of the above information is to be published in the newsletter so that the regions will be aware of who is attending conferences as official VVAN/USO representatives.